



## Boy Suffers Burns In Gasoline Blast

James Kirby, 10, of 754 Claremont, was admitted to Royal Jubilee Hospital Thursday with burns to his hands and face after he threw a match in a unused gasoline can.

Force of the small explosion blew fire back into his face.

He is in satisfactory condition.

ANDY CAPP



## Diefenbakers Hope For Holiday Here



Opposition Leader John Diefenbaker and Mrs. Diefenbaker are trying to arrange a vacation in Victoria early in January, it was learned last night.

A reliable source here told the Colonist that Mr. Diefenbaker, an ardent sports fisherman, wants to try his hand at landing some of B.C.'s famous salmon.

The former Conservative prime minister has always been fond of Victoria, which has always opened its heart to him during the federal election hustings.

### TV APPEARANCES

It is understood that his Victoria vacation depends upon whether he is able to re-schedule two previous commitments for live television appearances.

Mr. Diefenbaker plans to visit his home riding in Prince Albert, Sask., before coming to Victoria, the informant said last night.

### SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

While here, the Tory leader will speak at a joint luncheon meeting of the Men's and

Women's Canadian Clubs, in the Empress Hotel ballroom, at 12:15 p.m. Jan. 13.

Later the same day, he will address the University of Victoria political science forum at 3:30 p.m., and attend a reception sponsored by the Tory groups here, in S. J. Willis Junior High School, at 8 p.m.

### \$4,000 Damage In Bus Crash

CALGARY (CP) — Damage was estimated at \$4,000 after two transit system buses collided on a slippery street Monday.

One passenger, Mrs. Doris Hutchings, 40, was slightly injured, and Edward Hughes, driver of one of the buses, suffered a cut hand. No other injuries were reported.

### Your Good Health

## Waiting Will Do No Harm In the Case of Cataracts

By JOSEPH MOLNER, MD  
Dear Dr. Molner: I have "slight" cataracts that must eventually be removed. Should this be done now or later? — MRS. A. J.

Some diseases must be treated as soon as they are discovered, and the sooner they are recognized, the better the chance of complete cure. Cancer is one of these.

With some others it doesn't much matter whether you notice them early or late—and cataracts are a good example, while the other eye is still of some use to you. And then you'll have the other one operated.

The answer for some people is so simple that they can't believe it: Don't swallow air! Babies do it. That's why we bury them. Some adults unconsciously acquire the habit of swallowing air. Then they burp.

They tend to swallow air in quantity as they eat or drink. This can be overcome by eating and drinking slowly, and never gulping. There is no pill, no medicine that will prevent air-swallowing.

Dear Dr. Molner: Is flatulence a subject that doctors don't discuss?

Surely the medical profession can prescribe at least relief if not cure—neither digestion tablets nor baking soda is effective with me. — M. G.

The average doctor (and in-

cluding myself) isn't too happy early, and are "slight," and about trying to offer a quick, just use your eyes as long as or let's use a simpler word: Gas.

You'll need glasses afterward because the operation means removal of the lens which is built into the eye.

You'll have to allow some days for rest and recuperation, and having glasses fitted, but you'll then be able to see all right. It may be, and this is usually the case, that you'll have one cataract removed, while the other eye is still of some use to you. And then you'll have the other one operated.

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## The Weather

DECEMBER 25, 1963

Gale warning in effect for Juan De Fuca strait. Cloudy with few showers. Cool. Winds southeast 25. Precipitation trace. Sunshine 1 hour 24 minutes. Tuesday's recorded high and low at Victoria, 30 and 44. Today's forecast high and low, 50 and 45. Today's sunrise 8:05. Sunset 4:23. Tomorrow's sunrise 8:05. Sunset 4:23.

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Gale warning in effect for Georgia Strait. Cloudy with few showers. A cooler. Winds southerly 15. Increasing to 25 this afternoon. Precipitation .31 inch. Tuesday's recorded high and low at Nanaimo 53 and 45. Today's forecast high and low, 48 and 42.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Gale warning in effect. Cloudy with frequent showers.

Continuing mild. Winds south-

east 25. Forecast high and low at Estevan Point, 50 and 45.

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## Murdered Scout May Be Honored

OTTAWA (CP) — The Boy likely will be recommended for a Scout bravery award, a spokesman for the Les Scouts Catholiques du Canada said Tuesday.

Paul Mercier, 24, was gunned down after he ran into the rectory of the Church of Christ the King. Three others also died of bullet wounds. He had been summoned from mass in the next-door church by the priest, who was told that two young intruders had burst into the rectory.

Marcel Deschamps of the Les

## Ten-Month-Old Baby Found Dead in Crib

Ten-month-old Cheryl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jones, 2465 Hamota, was pronounced dead on arrival in Royal Jubilee Hospital after being found hanging from her crib late Monday night.

She had apparently become entangled in her

### Defence Lawyer

## Doubt Cast On Kidnapping

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A Calif. lawyer for one of three suspects arrested in the Frank Sinatra Jr. kidnapping indicated in court she doubted a kidnapping occurred.

Mrs. Gladys Towles Root, seeking reduction of the \$30,000 bail levied for John William Irwin, 42, said in her plea Monday to U.S. District Judge Thurmond Clarke:

"... This kidnapping—if there was a kidnapping... if there were a victim... if there were a victim..."

### TO RULE MONDAY

Judge Clarke said he will rule Monday on the bail reduction. Deputy U.S. Attorney Thomas Sheridan said the case would be presented Thursday to a federal grand jury.

Irwin was arrested Dec. 13.

His co-defendants, Barry Worthington Keenan and Joseph Clyde Amaler, each 23, were picked up by FBI agents within 24 hours of Irwin's arrest.

### ARRANGED TURN OVER

Mrs. Root said she believed John Irwin and his brother, James, arranged for him to be turned over to the FBI. Irwin was arrested in front of his brother's house in Imperial Beach, near San Diego, Calif.

### ACTING AS FBI

Reginald Binette was remanded for one week for a psychiatric examination when he appeared for formal arraignment in magistrate's court Monday.

His heartbroken parents, meanwhile, went to a downtown funeral home Monday night and prayed over the body of Roger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Binette were both at mass in the little church when shots rang out in the rectory.

### ONE WAY

Vatican sources had predicted Monday that Christmas would not pass without the Pope referring to Berlin, where Communist authorities opened the wall for one-way yule traffic by West Berliners to visit relatives in East Berlin.

In his 1,000-word speech the Pope seemed to refer to the wall, although he did not mention Berlin by name.

### THIRD SPEECH

It was his third Christmas speech. Monday night he delivered his Christmas message to the world, urging a peace without an arms race of propaganda. On Tuesday he exchanged holiday greetings with his cardinals and Vatican priests.

His Holy Land pilgrimage Jan. 4-6 was a main subject in both of the first two speeches. But it was not mentioned in the mid-night mass address.

### HOLY LAND

The pontiff told the Cardinals his visit to the Holy Land had no political significance, adding:

"We... hope to encounter the Lord on our voyage, which seems to us—for its innovation, for its significance, for its resonance—to assume great importance, the dimensions of which we have not yet succeeded in calculating, but which we feel are immense, at least in symbolism, in destiny, in intentions."

### FIRST OF THREE

The mass for the diplomats was the first of three Christmas masses for the Pope.

In the morning he will go to the Church of St. Michael the Archangel in a workers' quarter on the edge of Rome.

Then he will celebrate another mass in the great Basilica of St. Peter before giving his Christmas blessing, ubi et orbis— to the city of Rome and the world; from the main basilica balcony.

Where more serious underlying causes contribute, there will be other signs. Ulcers, gastritis, gall bladder disease, hiatal hernia and so on, will make themselves known. But professional diagnosis is important because these complaints require effective treatment. And to treat effectively, you have to be sure of the trouble.

### LIST HIGHLIGHTS

Elsewhere around the world, correspondents reported these Christmas highlights:

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# Kennedy, Killer, Pope Top '63 News

10—U.S. atomic submarine Thresher lost with 129 crew in test dive in Atlantic. Egypt, Syria and Iraq agree to merge in new United Arab Republic.



Pearson

13—Armed services vote in Canadian election gives Liberals two seats from Conservatives; final standing Lib 129, PC 95, SC 24, NDP 17.

18—Toronto Maple Leafs win second successive Stanley Cup, defeating Detroit Red Wings 3-1 to take final series four games to one.

20—Bomb blast blamed on FLQ kills janitor William O'Neill at army recruiting centre in Montreal.

24—Princess Alexandra weds Angus Ogilvy at Westminster Abbey.

28—Khrushchev hosts Cuban Premier Castro at elaborate reception at Moscow.

29—Premier Fanfani's Christian Democrats lose seats but retain control in Italian elections.

## MAY

1—Airlift evacuates residents from flood-stricken Hay River, N.W.T. Two-man U.S. team reaches peak of Mount Everest.

2—One guard and one prisoner fatally injured in riot at Montreal's St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary.

4—John Galbraith's colt Chateauguay wins 89th Kentucky Derby.

5—Pan-American Games end at São Paulo, Brazil. Canada placing third to U.S. and Brazil with 10 gold medals, 26 silver, 27 bronze.

7—U.S. launches second Telstar communications satellite.

11—President Kennedy and Prime Minister Pearson conclude two-day meeting at Hyannis Port, Mass. Negroes riot at Birmingham, 50 injured. Edmonton Oil Kings defeat Niagara Falls Flyers four games to two in Memorial Cup junior hockey final.

12—Kennedy orders U.S. military units into Birmingham area.

16—U.S. astronaut Gordon Cooper lands near pickup ship in Pacific after 22 earth orbits in 34 hours, 20 minutes, making descent by manual control. Parliament opens at Ottawa.

17—Sgt-Maj. Walter Roland Leja, 45, seriously injured trying to dismantle FLQ bomb in mailbox in Montreal.

21—Zalman Shazar, 72, elected president of Israel, succeeding late Issak Ben-Zvi.

22—NATO ministerial council at Ottawa approves in principle formation of nuclear strike force under NATO direction.

28—French colt Renko wins Epsom Derby.

30—Parnelli Jones wins Indianapolis 500-mile racing car classic in Offenhausen at record average 143 m.p.h.

## JUNE

1—Jomo Kenyatta, one-time Mau Mau leader, becomes prime minister of Kenya.

8—Pope John XXIII dies at Vatican City, aged 81. All 101 aboard killed in Northwest Airlines' DC-7 crash north of Queen Charlotte Islands.

5—Prime Minister Macmillan accepts resignation of War Minister John Profumo who admitted "grave misdeemeanor" in association with model Christine Keeler.

8—Dr. Stephen Ward, arrested in London, England, on charge of living on immoral earnings.

12—Medgar Evers, Negro field secretary for NAACP, shot to death at Jackson, Miss.

18—Finance Minister Gordon's budget imposes manufacturers' 11 per cent sales tax on building materials, 30 per cent tax on sales of Canadian companies' shares to non-residents.

14—Gordons reveals in Commons three Toronto bond company experts assisted in preparation of budget while on private payrolls. Five persons charged with non-capital murder in Montreal a bombing death of army janitor.

18—E. P. Taylor's Canephora wins 104th Queen's Plate at Toronto.

17—Premier E. C. Manning's Social Credit government re-elected in Alberta. Macmillan wins British Commons' confidence vote 321 to 252 after debate on Profumo scandal.

First woman astronaut, Soviet's Valentina Tereshkova, lands in Siberia after 48 orbits; Lt.-Col. Valeri Bykovsky lands on 82nd orbit.

20—British Commons passes censure motion finding former war minister Profumo guilty of grave contempt of Parliament in lying about his relations with call-girl Christine Keeler.

21—Giovanni Battista Cardinal Montini of Milan, 65, chosen Pope on fifth ballot at Vatican City, to be known as Pope Paul VI.

23—President Kennedy opening European tour at Bonn pledges U.S. will remain faithful to commitments to defend Europe.

Co. puts valuation at \$192,828,000, or \$20,000,000 more than government paid to parent company B.C. Power Corp.

31—Jury in London convicts osteopath - artist Stephen Ward on two of five vice charges after sensational hearings linking former war minister John Profumo and Soviet attaché with Christine Keeler.

## AUGUST

1—Senate passes bill providing salary increases for MPs and senators. Commons passes private member's bill to remove divorce applications from divorce commission.

3—Stephen Ward dies in London hospital after three days in coma from overdose of drug. Craig Bradford of Los Angeles sets world auto speed record of 407 m.p.h. with jet-powered car at Bonneville Salt Flats, Utah.

8—Masked bandits rob mail train in Buckinghamshire, England, of estimated \$7,500,000 in used pound notes and jewelry.

13—Third World Anglican Congress sees 15,684 crowd packing Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens for evening service. Alberta wins interprovincial team golf title at Saint John, N.B.

16—Canada and U.S. reach agreement on conditions under which nuclear warheads will be made available for Canadian forces. Fifth Buddhist monk in two months burns himself to death in protest against alleged religious persecution by Viet Nam President Ngo Dinh Diem.

17—Nick Weslock of Toronto wins Canadian amateur golf title at Saint John, N.B.

18—James H. Meredith is first Negro to receive degree at University of Mississippi.

23—Sons of Freedom Doubtless Podmore dies in hospital at Vancouver after fasting in prison at Agassiz, B.C.

27—Henry Thorpe and David Feller rescued alive two weeks after coal mine cave-in at Hazelton, B.C.

28—President Kennedy pledges continued effort to eliminate discrimination as 200,000 Negroes and whites join in peaceful march to Lincoln Memorial at Washington.

## SEPTEMBER

4—Fire aboard Egyptian freighter Salah el Din at Hamilton causes \$400,000 damage, chief steward dies. Metropolitan Toronto water fluoridation begins.

6—Pierre Dupuy, former Canadian ambassador to France, appointed commissioner-general of Montreal 1967 world's fair.

7—Explosion rips hole in side of Canadian freighter Howard L. Shaw, tied up at Chicago since April in seamen's union dispute.

9—Federal court at Birmingham orders Alabama Governor Wallace to cease interference with school integration.

15—Four Negro Sunday school students killed in bomb explosion at Birmingham church. Two Negro boys fatally shot during demonstrations after bombing.

16—Russia signs agreement to buy 228,000 bushels of Canadian wheat and flour worth \$500,000,000.

18—Mob sacks and burns British Embassy at Jakarta protesting British support of newly formed Malayan federation.

19—Person at UN General Assembly proposes study of techniques of peace-keeping operations.

20—Kennedy in UN General Assembly suggests joint U.S.-Soviet effort to reach moon. Canadian freighter Howard L. Shaw sails unloaded after being tied up at Chicago for five months.

21—Opening of new Place des Arts concert hall at Montreal picketed by 1,000 youths led by Quebec separatist Marcel Chaput.

24—U.S. Senate approves nuclear test ban treaty 80 to 19.

25—Lord Deakin's report on Profumo scandal absolves government, security service and police of any laxity. Premier Robert R. Progressive Conservative government re-elected in Ontario.

27—British Columbia government announces purchase of B.C. Electric Company for \$197,114,000, or \$25,000,000 more than sum fixed in expropriation 26 months previously.

28—Pope Paul reopens Vatican ecumenical council with appeal for Christian unity.

29—Federal republic of Nigeria proclaimed. Premier W. A. C. Bennett's Social Credit government re-elected in British Columbia.

## OCTOBER

22—Sonny Liston retains heavyweight title, knocking out Floyd Patterson at 2:10 of first round at Las Vegas.

23—United States, Soviet Union and Britain at Moscow conclude treaty to prohibit nuclear tests, except underground.

26—Death toll tops 1,000 in earthquake at Skopje, Yugoslavia.

28—B.C. Supreme Court Chief Justice Sherwood Lett rules invalid B.C. government expropriation of B.C. Electric



Paul VI

National League wins World Series four straight over New York Yankees.

7—Gabriel Hudon, 21, and Raymond Villeneuve, 20, each sentenced to 12 years for manslaughter in FLQ bombing death of Montreal army recruiting centre janitor.

9—Estimate 3,000 dead in Vajont dam collapse at Belluno, Italy.

10—Nobel Peace Prize for 1962 awarded Dr. Linus C. Pauling, U.S. research chemist; 1963 Peace Prize to International Red Cross Committee and League of Red Cross Societies.

11—Commons approves government bill for public trusteeship over five Canadian maritime unions.

12—Longshoremen's strike ends in St. Lawrence River ports.

16—Ludwig Erhard, 66, elected chancellor of West Germany succeeding Konrad Adenauer.

18—British Foreign Secretary Lord Home, 60, invited to form ministry following resignation of Harold Macmillan.

23—Canadian government proclaims its legislation for trusteeship over seamen's unions. Lord Home relinquishes title to become commoner.

24—Coal mine disaster at Broistedt, West Germany, kills 29. Canadian seamen of SIU vote to return to work.

30—Morocco and Algeria agree to cease-fire in border conflict.

31—Gas explosion at Indianapolis Coliseum kills 71 spectators at ice revue.

## NOVEMBER

2—Queen inaugurates new trans-Pacific telephone cable linking Britain, Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

4—Canadian wheat board announces China's second 18,700,000-bushel wheat purchase, worth about \$35,000,000.

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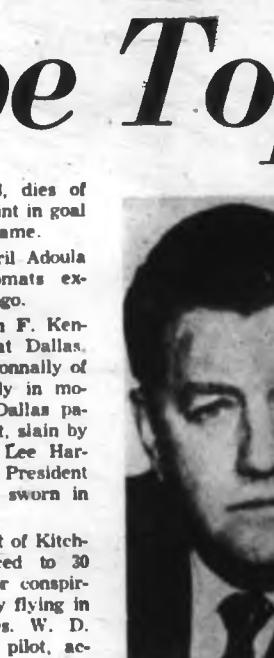
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Lee Harvey Oswald

ville of Toronto, 48, dies of heart attack after stint in goal at charity hockey game.

21—Premier Cyril Adoula orders Soviet diplomats expelled from the Congo.

22—President John F. Kennedy assassinated at Dallas, Governor John B. Connally of Texas, with Kennedy in motorcade, wounded. Dallas patrolman J. D. Tippit, slain by suspected assassin, Lee Harvey Oswald. Vice-President Lyndon B. Johnson sworn in as 36th president.

23—Ronald Lippert of Kitchener, Ont., sentenced to 30 years at Havana for conspiracy against Cuba by flying in concealed explosives. W. D. Milne of Montreal, pilot, acquitted.

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## The Nativity

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day, in the city of David, a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you: Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying,

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which has come to pass, which the Lord hath made known unto us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.

And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.

—St. Luke 2:8-18

## A New Venture

FOR MORE than a quarter of a century—so quickly time runs by—the Junior Chamber of Commerce has made the Christmas season brighter in Greater Victoria by sponsoring the outdoor lighting contest. The result has been more than a competition among entrants, although this itself has provided the city with a delightful diversion in the form of touring around to see the listed homes and business places.

The contestants have shown the way, but the broader outcome has been that so many residents now add to the gaiety of the general scene with decoration and illumination intended for the public view, wishing as it were a merry time to all.

The Junior Chamber can be credited with fostering a trend that has added substantially to the spirit of the celebration, and to the neighborly expression of good will.

This year Victoria Jaycees, in co-operation with and emulation of their Bellingham counterparts, undertook a new Christmas venture: a Santa Claus ship distributing treats to children at more or less isolated points including Indian communities in the Gulf Islands. This too, one hopes, will become an annual custom and a tradition with the young businessmen of the Junior Chamber. Their voyaging in this role, like the lighting contest, will bear fruits of amity.

## Always Welcome

WHILE IN TOWN for Christmas Mr. Hans Gruber has explained his decision to leave the symphony orchestra he developed to a high state of excellence and move to Toronto. It is a case of seeking relief from the steady strain of resident conductorship.

He will relax for a year, enjoying music as a listener instead of a practitioner, and thereafter decide his future.

There is the hint of business interests to embrace him, and his versatile activity is well-known, but the musical life of Canada would suffer did he not continue in the realm for which his artistic gifts are manifest.

Happily this is not likely to be so. He has said he would favor a limited amount of guest conducting, and one can scarcely imagine the piquant "Hans" without a baton in his hand.

Victoria will always be in his debt. By the flavor of his personality and the musicianship at his fingertips he brought character and recognition to the local symphony orchestra, making of it the institution of civic pride which he has handed over to a capable successor, Mr. Otto-Werner Mueller.

No guest conductor of the future will mount the podium here with more welcome than Mr. Hans Gruber, a cherished figure during his 15 years' tenure in the city he enriched by his presence and artistic endeavor.

## Serving Us Well

A GAIN THIS year the post office has proved itself a marvel of industry and efficiency in moving mountains (or they would be mountains if they were allowed to pile up) of cards and parcels to the Christmas destinations on time, and simultaneously not allowing the Yuletide exigency to disrupt the regular conduct of business through the mails.

Most of the time we are apt to take this department of the government service for granted, despite the great complexity of its work. At this season though it annually meets a crisis in its operations with such excellent organization and with such apparent energy on the part of employees, regular and temporary, that few citizens, probably, can fail to be impressed. Equally with the postmen who make the rounds of our homes, the many more workers who labor less in the public eye in this massive undertaking deserve our thanks and congratulations.

For the post office the big job of the year has been done, and well done, but there should be special thoughts today too for the hundreds of our friends and neighbors who are making our Christmas happier in other ways at the expense, to some degree, of their own enjoyment: those who are at work seeing to our convenience and safety, and thus cannot join to the full in the normal observance of the festive occasion.

The policemen and the firemen on duty, for instance, and the nurses, the telephone operators, the hotel staffs, the cooks and waitresses, the bus and taxi drivers, the people behind the scenes who keep the utilities running—the list goes on and on, and each of these contributes something to the happiness of other members of the community. They too deserve to feel the warmth of public gratitude.



Joy to the world! the Saviour reigns:

Let men their songs employ;  
While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains,  
Repeat the sounding joy.

## Thinking Aloud

"...of shoes, and ships,  
and sealing wax..."

By TOM TAYLOR

ND you all this historic morn  
and may the sun be shining in  
your hearts if not outside your  
window.

And may the wise men  
among your friends have  
brought you the gold, frankin-  
cense and myrrh in the fashion  
of today.

And may the festive board  
that awaits you this afternoon  
be kind to your indulgence.

And may the bells ring out  
in glad acclaim so that we may  
be at peace in spirit and in  
mind.

And may we remember for  
whom this day is held.

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It is a birthday celebration,  
today. It is for us and we use  
it and make merry, and that  
is not wrong for the first

Christmas was ushered in with

"tidings of great joy."

But it is not our birthday—but His.

If we celebrate a birthday  
not our own, therefore, we  
should pause to reflect on  
whose it is.

In the midst of our festivity  
they should be a lull to re-  
member Him, and not merely  
in a brief grace before dinner.

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A reader asks me why red  
and green have come to be  
the traditional colors of the  
Christmas season.

They come, I suppose, from  
nature's gift of green foliage  
and from the berries of the  
holly tree. Or from the correct  
instinct of mankind.

They would be absent from  
the first Noel, perhaps, except  
for the story of the robin.

It is said that when Christ  
was on His way to the Crucifixion  
the robin tried to ease  
His suffering by pulling a  
thorn from the painful crown  
thrust on His head.

And in so doing a drop of  
blood fell upon the robin's  
breast, and it has remained  
there ever since.

It is a lovely legend this,  
to explain the coloring of the  
robin's breast. If apocryphal  
it has the substance of truth.

\* \* \*

For the robin is a friendly  
bird, a comforting garden com-  
panion, and Christmas is the  
time of friendliness and good  
company.

And Christmas was meant  
to be that, from the beginning.  
The Christ child came bearing  
joy and goodwill; offering  
peace on earth to all mankind.

If 2,000 years later peace on  
the world seems looms yet afar  
off, that is man's own doing.

The gifts He brought can be  
accepted or cast aside. We can  
ignore them or share them all  
the years through.

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Perhaps these distinguished  
auspices for a religious symbol  
among the official decorations  
for a season that is pre-emi-  
nently religious will have the  
effect of limiting the mis-  
directed zeal, which, in the  
name of freedom of religion,  
occasionally questions even  
the most reverent and benign  
of spiritual expressions if they  
are somehow related to the af-  
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## The Word Was Made Flesh

By SHAUN HERRON

FIRST let us declare our  
Christian love for the  
Roundheads, then let us de-  
clare our passion to save  
Christ-Mass and the nation  
from them.

Their problem at this season  
has always been the same  
since the days when they made  
it illegal: the heart of man re-  
joices unreasonably, with the  
reason beyond reason, and  
cries out:

I am not alone. I am fit to  
burst with a fleeting joy I  
cannot contain or explain. I  
am borne up lighter than  
light out of the forms and  
customs of the dreary year  
and I want to shout Glory  
to God in the Highest and  
on earth Peace. I do not al-  
ways know the words, but I  
know the up-borne ness in  
the marrow of every bone.

The Roundheads say to this:  
It cannot be true, for they re-  
ject the Word.

But it is not our birthday—but His.

If we celebrate a birthday  
not our own, therefore, we  
should pause to reflect on  
whose it is.

In the midst of our festivity  
they should be a lull to re-  
member Him, and not merely  
in a brief grace before dinner.

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Thus and thus do they de-  
clare that even now, after two  
thousand years of pain, they  
have not seen the terrible  
beauty of their own good doc-  
trine: And the Word was made  
Flesh and dwelt among us.

What does it mean "to be-  
come flesh"? if you are not an  
expert theologian? Well, over  
the Christmas season in the  
year 1711, this plaintive letter  
appeared in The Spectator.

"Mr. Spectator, I am a Foot-  
man in a great Family, and  
am in Love with the House-  
Maid. We were all at Hot  
Cockles in the Hall these Hol-  
days: when I lay down and  
was blinded, she pulled off  
her Shoe, and hit me with the  
Heel such a Rap, as almost  
broke my Head to Pieces.

Pray, Sir, was this Love or  
Spite?"

This is the Flesh that the  
Word was made. Let us re-  
joice and be glad in it.

But no less, it was this also:  
The Christ-child lay on Mary's  
lap.

His hair was like a light  
(O weary, weary were the  
world

But here is all right.)

For the robin is a friendly  
bird, a comforting garden com-  
panion, and Christmas is the  
time of friendliness and good  
company.

And Christmas was meant  
to be that, from the beginning.  
The Christ child came bearing  
joy and goodwill; offering  
peace on earth to all mankind.

If 2,000 years later peace on  
the world seems looms yet afar  
off, that is man's own doing.

The gifts He brought can be  
accepted or cast aside. We can  
ignore them or share them all  
the years through.

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As a color, too, red is the  
badge of mercy, although it  
has often become the symbol  
of less worthy ways. Red is  
worn in honor of martyrs,  
and in heraldry it signifies  
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Ennobling Influence

From The Oregonian

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has been announced that

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will superintend Christmas ar-

rangements at the White

House, as they were planned

by Mrs. John F. Kennedy.

Among the plans: A creche

will be set up in the East

Room, as was the case last

year.

Perhaps these distinguished

auspices for a religious symbol

among the official decorations

for a season that is pre-emi-

nently religious will have the

effect of limiting the mis-

directed zeal, which, in the

name of freedom of religion,

occasionally questions even

the most reverent and benign

of spiritual expressions if they

are somehow related to the af-

fairs of government.

As has been noted in these

columns, the events of recent

weeks have emphasized the

essential part played in public

affairs by spiritual considera-

tions. As important as it is to

preserve a separation of influ-

ence as between the church

and the state, this end will not

be furthered by measures seek-

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## Quotes!

In quite a long experience now, I have often found that a man who trusts nobody is apt to be the kind of man nobody trusts. — Harold Macmillan.

If there is one way to provoke the entry of women into any place whether in temperate, tropical or polar regions that has hitherto been forbidden to them, it is to advertise that place as womanproof. — John Grerson.

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But the papers were records of camp executions, and they were passed on through a Frankfurt journalist to the West German courts in 1958. An office was set up to hunt down names mentioned in the documents, led by two junior Frankfurt lawyers: one at least of these investigators has been left by his work with a chronic alternation of insomnia and nightmares.

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What is almost incomprehensible is that there is either such lethargy or such fear about the pension issue that Miss LaMarsh has had to fight almost alone, denied even a token of backing from the opinion molders who thought so highly of the plan just a few short months ago.

She and Mr. Wintermeyer are accused of making the issue of adequate pensions for older people a political fight; of acting in an irresponsible manner. This is nonsense, since long before Miss LaMarsh entered the pension field, the die was cast for a political fight on immense proportions.

The current lobby against a Canada Pension Plan uses arguments neither new nor different. Research men find remarkable similarity between the arguments put forward now and those used in the United States more than 25 years ago when the New Deal began a social security program. But profit seems to be strangely missing from their arguments of concern for the national interest and welfare.

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Insurance and trust companies, with banks, have used their investment dollars to help make Canada the nation it is. But they also have made a dollar out of this service, and, judging from current stock and dividend quotations, quite a good dollar.

No one denies them the right to question the pension plan since many question some of its details, especially the relatively low level of benefits and the lack of protection for the disabled and those who survive the breadwinner.

But then neither should they deny, or use their influence and pressure to deny others, the right to state their views and ideas on a question that is of interest to every person in the country.

Miss LaMarsh may be undiplomatic, but in her unwavering support of the principle of a Canada Pension Plan she happens to be entirely right. And it is about time that people begin rallying in her support to show that they, and not a sector of the business world, are running the country.

For if she is propelled into oblivion, there will be no meaningful reform of the present old-age pension plan, a travesty caused by an earlier retreat from reality. The present plan does not even pay lip service to the idea of an old age of dignity and self-sufficiency.

(Telegram News Service)

## VIEWPOINT

### African Students' Riot Long Expected

### Moscow Fails Color Test

By EDWARD CRANKSHAW

spontaneously by fellow-students and the people they meet in the streets.

In the past three years there have been many incidents involving colored students, not only in the Soviet Union, but also in Eastern Europe—above all in Sofia and Prague. In Russia itself there have been cases of the beating up and boycotting of African students, usually for going out with Russian girls.

The Soviet Union, or at least the Communist Party, had always prided itself on having no color bar. There is no reason to believe that the Russians were insincere in this. It was simply that they had never been put to the test.

The non-Russian inhabitants of the Soviet empire are none of them black, or even dark brown, and inter-marriage between Russians on the one hand, and Tartars, Kazakhs, Uzbeks on the other, produces no visible problem.

Natives of Africa, and even India, with their dark skins, were until lately rare and exotic apparitions in the Soviet Union, to be gazed at with wonder.

It was easy for the Russians to believe that color feeling was alien, not only to Communism but also to their own natures. Although Soviet publicists and propagandists habitually write of the Great Russian people as the standard-bearers of culture and progress, leading the more backward peoples of the Union towards the light, there was no instinctive feeling against, for example, the Muslim peoples of Soviet Central Asia.

Spontaneous color feelings calls for no comment. We know all about it. In Russia it will grow. There is nothing the government can do about it. It is exacerbated by the shortage of so many things, from university places to theatre tickets. ("Why should these monkeys have what we cannot have?") and by deep-seated Russian chauvinism.

The attitude of Authority is

somewhat quite different. In the first place, the Africans, full of memories of colonial rule, find themselves subject to the pressures and restrictions which bear on Soviet students (particularly in the humanities and in economics); in the scientific faculties students are given much more intellectual freedom.

At the same time, colored students, chiefly Africans, have returned from the Soviet Union, from Lumumba University and elsewhere, with tales of disillusionment and woe.

So many of them had gone to Moscow looking for freedom and equality, only to find themselves locked down upon by their fellow students, and heavily restricted in their movements, their contacts and their search for knowledge too, by authority.

"At the moment colonialism is the greater evil for all classes and all sections, and until it has been abolished it will be impossible to satisfy the interests of separate classes. . ." But, after that, look out!

One of the purposes in gathering

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so many Africans together in Lumumba University and elsewhere is to prepare them for the day when they will lead the class struggle against their own people in their own countries. Most Africans at present do not relish this role.

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# Crew Fought for Room In Boats, Say Passengers

CP From AP-Reuters

FUNCHAL, Madeira.—Charges the crew panicked and fought for room in lifeboats marked the landing of hundreds of survivors from the burning Greek cruise ship Lakonia Tuesday.

Several American and British passengers declared there were lapses in discipline and that normal safety precautions for lifeboats had been violated on the Christmas cruise that ended in tragedy Sunday night.

## ONE OF 10

Roughly one person out of every 10 among the 1,036 aboard the 20,314-ton ship on its holiday run from Britain toward Madeira was dead or missing.

Unofficial compilations placed the death toll at 70, with from 31 to 45 persons still unaccounted for. Almost all were British.

## FULL PROBE

Passengers demanded a full investigation. British transport authorities said action was up to the Greek government.

A spokesman for the operating company — the General Steam Navigation Company of Greece — refused to comment on "isolated incidents." He said the Lakonia's lifeboats were in proper order.

## TERrible SHOCK

"I am going to take it up with my lawyer," said Ivan Buchanan of Atlanta, Ga. "It was a terrible shock. The crew was horrible."

Buchanan and his wife, Dorothy, were among 475 survivors — 307 passengers and 168 members of the predominantly Greek crew — brought by the Argentine freighter Salta to Funchal.

## NO DRILL

Arthur George of Norwich, England, said no lifeboat drill had been held aboard ship during the three days out of Southampton and that the flares in his boat didn't work.

## TAKE COMMAND

"The crew was an undisciplined that the passengers had to take command of the lifeboats," George said.

Similar shortcomings were reported by Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Lovat of London. They said the fire broke out about 11 p.m., while a party was going on in the public lounge.

## CAUSED BY SHORT

Agents of the Salta said the fire was caused by an electrical short-circuit in the ship's barber shop and spread rapidly. "There was no fire alarm," Lovat said. "The crew was in a state of chaos and pushed passengers out of lifeboats. The pump (in the Lovat's boat) stopped working immediately. We found no provisions in the lifeboat. It was disgraceful. The crew screamed their heads off for five solid hours."

## ALL NIGHT

Lovat said the Argentine crew of the Salta was wonderful, "pulling people out of the water all night."

Lovat's statement that there was no fire alarm conflicted with the report of at least one realtor.

other passenger, Ralph Pugh of Britain, who said alarms sounded at about 11 o'clock.

## BURNING SHIP

The British aircraft carrier Centaur reported recovering 57 bodies from the waters around the burning ship.

The fate of the lone Canadian reported aboard the Lakonia, C. Loyat of Hove, England, was still not known Tuesday night.

## CAPTAIN SAVED

Meanwhile, the Belgian rescue ship Charlesville arrived at Santa Cruz, in the Canary Islands, with the Lakonia's skipper, Capt. Mateos Zarbis, 27 crew members and six surviving passengers.

The Charlesville picked Zarbis and other survivors off the ship.

Some of the passengers who arrived at Santa Cruz said all the port side lifeboats on the Lakonia were burned away and only the starboard ones could be launched.

## DRAMATIC RESCUE

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By Jim Tang

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A MERRY CHRISTMAS

AND

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

## FAN FAIR

By WALT DITZEN



# Canada's Christmas Stocking Holds Some Olympic Hopes

By ED SIMON

**CANADIAN PRESS STAFF WRITER**  
Thirty-two years ago Duncan McNaughton of Vancouver won the Olympic high jump at Los Angeles. No Canadian has won an Olympic gold medal for track and field since.

Hockey players, figure-skaters, skiers, oarsmen and sharpshooters have had their hour of Olympic glory in the intervening years. But Canada's track teams, the most pampered and publicized of amateur athletes, haven't finished in the first three since 1948 when a Canadian entry won the third-place bronze medal in the 400-metre relay at London.

**BIG SURPRISE**

Yet the team that heads for Tokyo and the 15th Olympiad next October will pin a fair proportion of its hopes on the speed and muscle of its track and field squad.

Canada sent a young squad (without Toronto's Bruce Kidd, the 1962 British Empire Games six-mile gold medal winner, and other top-liners) to the Pan-American Games at Sao Paulo, Brazil, in 1963 and came away with five gold medals in track and field.

Nancy McCrede of Brampton, figure-skating champion, won the discus and shot put events and Abbie Hoffman of Toronto the 800 metres. The others went to Alex Oakley of Oshawa, Ont., in the 20,000-metre walk and Don Bertoia of Rossland, B.C., in the men's 880-metre.

### CROTHERS WILL GO

The most optimistic forecasts don't call for a similar showing against much stiffer competition in Tokyo. But the squad, reinforced by Kidd and Toronto's Bill Crotthers, one of the world's best half-milers, would be the strongest to represent Canada in international competition.

Sao Paulo also produced a triple champion in Willie Webster of Camp Borden, Ont., in men's gymnastics. Tom Dinsley of Vancouver captured top honors in men's springboard diving and the University of British Columbia eight-oared crew also won a gold medal.

At the winter Olympic Games starting at Innsbruck, Austria, in January, Canada's prospects are not so bright. Don McPherson of Stratford, Ont., second successive Canadian to win the men's singles title at the world

skating championships, went after a series of international reverses.

Against the background of a fourth-place finish for Trail Smoke Eaters in the 1963 world competition behind Russia, Sweden and Czechoslovakia and two

Games with its first truly national hockey team.

The need for a change was underlined late in 1963 by Windsor Bulldogs, current Allan Cup champions, who were soundly trounced by Russian and Czech opposition during a European tour.



## Gorge Pair Favored In Colonist Turney

While eastern golfers turn blue with cold or green with envy, a record field of their Vancouver Island counterparts will be frisking over Uplands Golf Club tomorrow in the annual Daily Colonist Christmas Tree Tournament.

Acceptance of two entries held up by the Christmas mailing rush has brought the entry to 150, and if you had to pick a favorite in men's or women's division you'd probably have to look to two established stars from Gorge Vale.

Bill Wakeham, who won here two years ago and lost to Vic Painter of Colwood, in the final last year, has proved himself to be the most consistent golfer in Victoria and perhaps in British Columbia over the past two years.

Hurt in a car accident recently, Wakeham appears to have retained the form that made him the outstanding Canadian in the Commonwealth matches in Australia in October. He will be hard to beat.

Even more a favorite is

Shirley Naysmith of Gorge, who has won the event three times and would appear to need only her normal game to lift the title again.

However, there is formidable opposition lined up against Wakeham, waiting for any slips the B.C. champ might make.

Dr. George Bigelow, a three-time winner, toured his own Victoria club last Saturday in a sub-par 67. Bill McColl, another former winner, is back in the best form, and his old doubles partner, Vic Painter, will not give up the trophy without a struggle.

Then there are players like Gord Pellow, several times a near winner, Claude Heggie, winner three years ago, and Ricky Kent, the only junior in the field but always a threat.

### BE ON TIME

Play will start from two tees at 8:30 a.m., and as hours of daylight are limited, all players are asked to be ready to start as soon as their names are called and be on hand 10 minutes before their posted time.

At the moment, rain seems to be the most trying weather threat, but the Uplands course is in good shape and he club has assured that the normal greens will be in use regardless.

In the event of a tie for either low gross title, there will be a sudden-death playoff for the championship. Tie in the net competition will be broken by matching cards, with the top prize going to the player whose card on handicap allowance wins most holes.

Scoring that best front nine score wins.

So far as possible, all others

play for awards will be given prizes.

Prize list totals more than \$35.

## Coaches Disagree On Football Final

NEW YORK (AP)—Coaches of the four teams that have played both Chicago Bears and New York Giants are divided on the outcome of Sunday's National Football League title game at Chicago's Wrigley Field. Two like the Giants, one favors the Bears and one straddles the fence.

### GOOD REASON

Jack Christiansen, whose San Francisco 49ers were the

only team to beat the Bears in 14 regular season games, thinks the Giants will win. The Giants thumped the 49ers 48-14 later and there were complaints about rubbing it in.

Buddy Parker of Pittsburgh Steelers and Nick Skorich of Philadelphia Eagles hedge a bit because of the weather, with snow and icy winds swirling around the East. Apparently, they are more alert to weather conditions than Christiansen, basking in California with the warm inner glow of being retired.

Wind and snow can make a mockery of the slim odds favoring the Giants. Parker, beaten by the Giants in the final winner-take-all game for the Eastern title, favors the Bears "under normal playing conditions."

### FAVORS GIANTS

Skorich, whose Eagles lost two to the Giants and one to the Bears, leans toward the Giants "on a day for football."

Don Shula of Baltimore Colts refused to pick a winner. His Colts lost twice to the Bears and dropped the season opener to the Giants, who made a great second-half comeback.

"I think the New York Giants will win," said Christiansen. "I feel the big difference is in offensive football."

"I think the condition of the field is going to be a big factor," said Parker. "If it is frozen hard it will be in the favor of the team with the best passing attack and that gives the Giants and Y. A. Tittle the edge."

"It all boils down to the league's best offense against the league's best defense. Under normal playing conditions, I would favor a defensive team like the Bears."

## Rote Shows Little Yuletide Spirit

## Wirkowski Is Always Out of Season

VANCOUVER (CP)—Tobin San Diego Chargers to the the Toronto Argonauts' cast-off who became most valuable player in the American Football League, has some harsh words for Nobby Wirkowski under any circumstances.

He said Lou Agase, the Toronto coach who brought him to Canada was "a fine guy." His ideas were too stagnant. We'd start the season with 30 plays and he'd tell us that was it.

It was up to us to win with those plays no matter what circumstances dictated or how

the defences adjusted."

As for Wirkowski:

"Nobby's too egotistical.

After all, he was my under-

study when he was an assis-

tant coach under Agase. He

was jealous."

He said he told Nobby:

"I wouldn't play for you if

you were the last man in the

world—and you're going to

right down the drain."

He had some criticism, too.

"Annis Stukus, Fred Fre-

win and a couple of those other

so-called Toronto football writ-

ers cried the blues because I, but it's a shame the way he wasn't a running quarterback was treated."

He said he "enjoyed my first couple of years up there despite the fact that one season I played with a broken finger and the next year I played quite awhile with a broken hand. I didn't know until recently that I'd suffered breaks."

He says Parker wasn't given a chance to take charge of what he called the demoralized Argonaut club.

"I talked with Jackie at Bu-

falo a few weeks ago," Rote said. "... He's a gentleman hard to believe."

network fight shows a week.

clubs, spawning grounds of the fighters.

Boxers couldn't be developed because there were not enough arenas to book them. To meet TV's demand for new faces, boxers were often moved up to main events too fast and soon vanished from the scene.

### BY MURRAY ROSE

NEW YORK (AP)—Boxing promoters who have staged fights with and without television have differing opinions about whether a total blackout of fights on television will help or hurt the hardy old sport.

### DEAN IS HAPPY

Herman Taylor of Philadelphia, 76-year-old dean of American fight promoters, said: "Personally I can't complain about TV." But he added:

"There is no question about TV doing boxing no good."

"We have to live with TV,"



HOWIE YOUNG

REG FLEMING

BOBBY HULL

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## OUTDOORS with Alec Merriman

Merry Christmas . . . Tight Lines . . . Good Shooting. This is the season to rejoice, and outdoorsmen have plenty to rejoice about this year. Saddest thing we can think of is that one of the best years we can remember is all too rapidly coming to an end.

This has been the year when the Colonist King Fisher-man contest broke all records with 34,096 entries.

It was the year of the fabulous pink salmon run in Sooke to Victoria waters . . . the year when Becher Bay alone weighed in 7,579 salmon and Sooke 3,994 salmon.

It is the year that the federal fisheries department was successful in its bid to introduce a run of pink salmon to Alberni Inlet . . . an experiment that may provide the know-how to build up our dwindling salmon resources to new heights.

This has been a year of better understanding.

The "wall" with the federal fisheries department over equitable distribution of salmon stocks started to bear fruit with a program of much better co-operation initiated during the year.

Federal Fisheries Director Rod Houston has asked to speak to the Amalgamated Conservation Society, early in January, and this will be the first time a high-placed fisheries official has come to Victoria to talk with the ACS.

The federal fisheries department this year appointed a special sports fishing biologist and staff, to look after the interests of salmon sports fishermen.

The provincial government appointed biologist R. G. McMinn to study the relationship of commercial and sports fishing.

More hunters bagged more game than ever before on Vancouver Island.

Pleasant and grouse shooting was better than last year. Deer harvest was up to nearly 26,000, from 23,000 last year. And no hunters were killed on Vancouver Island this year.

This was the year when major logging companies like MacMillan, Bloedel and Powell River and Crown Zellerbach extended their access programs and allowed hunting and fishing to sundown. And in the cards for next year is a better-than-ever access program.

Elli River Timber Co. and the Tahsis Co. opened the Gold River Road, providing a new tree and steelhead fishing area and a new area for elk and deer hunters.

Elk hunters, with an extended elk season, bagged between 150 to 200 elk, most of them north of the Alberni Highway where there was an extended cow elk season.

Normal elk harvest has been about 50 on the island, but game biologist Don McCaughran says there can be a much bigger harvest without hurting the herds.

Fifty bull elk and 20 cow elk were checked through the Campbell River area and 20 bulls and seven cow elk were harvested in the Kokish area. Elk shooting wasn't too good in the Nanaimo Lakes-Cowichan Lake area where nine bulls were shot this year, compared to 23 last year.

But, McCaughran says there are upwards of 800 elk in that area and hunters just didn't find them, mainly because of the difficulties of one-day access restrictions.

The south provincial parks branch bought Rathrevon Beach, just south of Parksville, this year and eventually one of the finest ocean beach campsites in North America will be developed there.

The recreation department also acquired more land on the Cowichan River, bringing the dream of a long riverside trail closer to realization. The Cowichan Fish and Game Club's Mayo Lake kids—only fishing pond has been a big success.

Yes, we have plenty to be thankful for in 1963.

## Minor Soccer Card

Weekend schedule in the Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Soccer Association:

**ASTORIA** — Division II, Canadian youth vs Comox Optimists, Beacon Hill Park. Evening Optimists vs Reynolds Park.

**BALTIMORE** — Division I, Victoria Optimists vs Gyrus, Esquimalt Park; Esquimalt Optimists vs Africana, Reynolds Park.

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# Statistics Prove Quite Conclusively Rough Play Assures NHL Success

"You can't lick 'em on the ice," it seems. It's about to become 11 if you can't lick 'em in an out of 13 seasons for this amazing figure."

Connie Smythe once said when he was the absolute ruler of the Toronto Maple Leafs.

That was quite a few seasons back, but it seems to be the creed by which National Hockey League clubs play. And it probably accounts for the ever increasing roughness of NHL play.

### AMAZING FIGURE

In 10 of the last 12 seasons, the clubs which finished 1-2-3 in the final league tables were also 1-2-3 in penalty minutes. And,

that penalty totals are mounting.

This season, the 92 games played to date have produced 2,494 penalty minutes, an average of 27 minutes a game even under the lenient NHL officiating. With the season less than half over, penalty totals show that about 20 players could each total at least 100 minutes.

### PIM Pts.

	G	P	GA	SO	Ave.
Chicago	571	43	21	14	1.98
Montreal	487	39	20	13	1.98
Toronto	474	36	20	13	1.98
Detroit	355	35	19	12	1.98
Boston	322	21	19	11	1.98
New York	303	20	19	11	1.98

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### FORWARDS LEAD

A striking feature is the fact that forwards are more than holding their own with defencemen in the matter of playing it rough. Of the five players with more than 75 minutes in penalties four are forwards.

New York's Vic Hadfield leads with 85 minutes. Right behind him are two part-time players with Chicago Black Hawks. Defenceman Howie Young, used only for spot duty most of the time, and Reg Fleming, whose role is supposed to be that of a penalty-killer, both have 84 minutes.

Then comes Chicago forward Stan Mikita with 81 minutes and Toronto's rambunctious Eddie Shack with 77 minutes.

Nothing has been heard recently from Maple Leafs about their projected European training camp.

Just back from a Swedish trip, Muzz Patrick, general manager of the Rangers, said that Swedish hockey interests were willing to underwrite travel and living expenses of the New York club.

Patrick has also explored the possibility of having the Rangers play several games in Russia and said that if training camp plans fell through there was still a chance that the Rangers might make a pre-season European trip.

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Buckna, born in Czechoslovakia and raised in Canada, went back to coach in 1936 and took charge of the Olympic team and all organized hockey in the country until 1939. During this time his clubs won two European championships and one world title.

He took the job again in 1946 and won two world championships before he came back to Canada.

Dr. Zdenek Andrist, president of the Czech hockey federation and manager of the Czech national team.

Dr. Zdenek is reported as saying the national league style of checking in all zones may eventually be adopted in Europe.

The three essential differences in rules concern penalties and checking. In North America the puck may be iced by a short-handed team without incurring a whistle; a penalized player returns to the ice if a goal is scored by his opponents; and body checking is permitted in the centre-ice zone between the blue lines.

"I firmly believe these rules are discouraging our youngsters from taking up the game," Buckna said.

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*Christmas Babies Exchange Ideas on Lost Birthdays*

### Christmas Baby

## Santa Claus Left Me

By JIM RYAN

When Santa came down the chimney at our house in Regina 43 years ago, he didn't leave presents—he left me.

I've been trying to live it down ever since.

I'm a Christmas baby—one of a handful of people who never really have a birthday celebration. Friends are too busy wishing us a Merry Christmas.

Just for once on December 25, I wish someone would say: "Happy Birthday."

It begins to get pretty confusing after 43 years.

When I was young, I once asked my mother: "Weren't you rather annoyed to spend Christmas 1920 in a hospital instead of at home with the family?"

"No," she replied. "That was the best Christmas I ever spent—and you were the best present!"

### Never 'Happy Birthday' And No Birthday Cake

Well, you know how mothers are. They're pretty understanding people.

Being born on Christmas Day has its advantages, though.

It's the biggest party of the year and everyone is in the mood to wish you double-barreled greetings. Of course, I always receive twice as many ties the wrong color, and enough socks to last me ten years.

I've never had a birthday cake.

My family is afraid if I tried to blow out the candles during Christmas dinner everything else on the table would wind up on the floor.

what a bleak future they faced present-wise. But I could not. They were all too busy sleeping.

The other day, for the umpteenth time, I played Santa Claus at a private children's party. What with my 280 pounds and all, the kids thought I was the jolly fat man in the red suit even before I put it on.

That's the fate of being born Christmas Day.

Oh, well. This year, it's all going to be different. I know there'll be birthday presents in my Christmas stocking for sure. How do I know?

Because I went out and bought my own.

Happy birthday to all Christ-mas babies.

And before I forget—Merry Christmas to everyone else!

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# Peace Falls On Cyprus For Holiday



**'Oh! My Aching Feet!'**

Soaking his sore feet in a bucket of hot water after finishing his 1963 Christmas mail deliveries is John E. Schwandt, 54, 2550 Shelbourne, mailman here for 17 years and whose route is "Number One business walk" in heart of downtown Victoria. — (Bud Kinsman)

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP)—Greek and Turkish Cypriots agreed Tuesday to a ceasefire in their four days of armed clashes and the noise of gun battles that raged Christmas Eve ended abruptly at midnight.

A mantle of peace appeared to be spreading over the capital following news of a joint approach by the governments of Britain, Greece and Turkey for ending the fighting.

**AGREE TO HELP**

British and American experts have agreed to help in maintaining peace, said Archbishop Makarios, Greek Cypriot president of the Mediterranean nation.

The British-American intervention spurred the peace moves but only after heavy fighting.

**HEAVY FIGHTING**

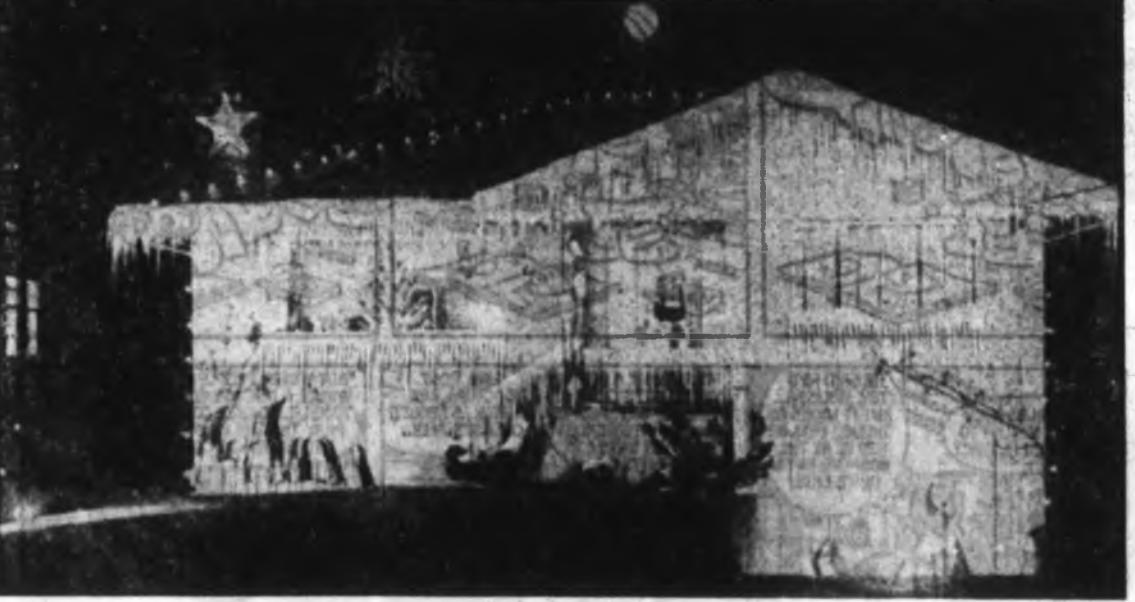
In the last few hours before the cease-fire the heaviest fighting raged since trouble erupted last Saturday.

Greek policemen, assisted by armed civilian vigilantes, made their first determined counter-attack to push Turks back from positions they had overrun in the previous two days.

This persistent attack followed a decision by the government to crush resistance by what they

termed "Turkish insurgents." The armed rebels were accused of refusing to heed cease-fire appeals. They had continued firing at police and Greek civilians as well as a number of Britons who entered Turkish sectors.

Most of the fighting centered on a police station occupied by Turks in Nicosia, and family flats in the suburb of Omorpha. These were overrun and occupied by Turks who chased off Greek families, reportedly killing an unspecified number of women and children.



**This Decorated Home Best in Area**

Glittering reflected light, simulated snow and icicles helped win top prize in Jaycees Christmas decorations contest for house of J. A. Dennison, 2041 Newton. Penguins, stylized wise men, moon, star

and three-dimensional snowflake also helped make up decorative scheme. Many parts of Victoria are ablaze with Christmas lights these nights. — (Bud Kinsman)

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Premier W. A. C. Bennett pointed out in his 1963 Christmas message that the holy season is one of "many meanings."

"Christmas is a fire glowing in the hearth, the music of youthful gladness, a family gathered round a Christmas tree to share the joys this special day holds," he said.

"Christmas is a time of human bondship, of true and genuine desires to offer a warm handshake to our fellow man wherever he may be, and the resolve that by this same alliance mankind shall be accordingly enriched and made happier."

"A Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all."

Greetings of other government and civic leaders:

**RECREATION**

Recreation Minister Kenneth Kiernan — "It is my sincere wish in the 1963 festive season that everyone in B.C. will enjoy a happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year."

"May I assure you that the Department of Recreation and

Saanich, I extend holiday greetings and best wishes for the new year."

Reeve George Murdoch— "Now after nearly 2,000 years since Christ was born to show us how to live in peace we are just beginning to realize that warfare is not the answer to our problems."

"We are now striving more and more to achieve a lasting peace and only then will we realize our hopes and ambitions."

**MAY BECOME REALITY**

"I hope that peace on earth may become a reality in 1964."

Reeve A. C. Wurtele — "On behalf of the municipal council may I extend to the people of Greater Victoria and Vancouver Island our good wishes for a merry Christmas and a peaceful and happy New Year."

"May we all catch the true significance of Christmas—the spirit of friendship and goodwill."

"May we have a kind thought in our hearts for those in hospital, those in jail and those who have family or financial worries which mar the celebration of Christmas."

**ANCIENT WISH**

"My wish to you today is ancient, but never old . . . Merry Christmas to you all."

Reeve Stanley Murphy — "On behalf of the employees and council of the municipality of

## Remember—As You Eat That Many Are Working

Most Greater Victoria residents, eating large Christmas dinner and enjoying their holiday, will probably forget that when they turn on a light switch or the gas stove or maybe need a policeman or hospital help that there are people keeping these services open.

For some Christmas Day means a meal in a lunch bucket and if they are lucky there may be a piece of turkey their emergency services will

not be needed and someone's Christmas ruined by tragedy.

Hospital personnel will be a little better off, as special Christmas dinners will be served and most of the staff will find time to eat the offering.

B.C. Hydro and Power Authority will have the same shift on as on Sundays and bus schedules will be the same as holidays.

Hospitals will be on regular shift duty, ever hopeful that their emergency services will

be thrown in just to remind them of what day it is.

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Firemen have their own personal hope as they sit through the Christmas vigil—that people will be careful with their Christmas trees and get rid of all the wrappings from their parcels before they create a fire hazard.

For all these and the many more working Dec. 25 Christmas is just another day—at least for eight hours out of the 24.

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**ORIGINAL PURPOSE**

Mayor R. B. Wilson—"Sometimes we feel it necessary to remind ourselves of the original purpose of Christmas—the commemoration of the birth of Christ."

"This we should always keep fresh in our minds."

"However, the commemoration of this great event in the times in which we live brings with it a broader effect on our daily lives than the original concept. It gives us the time to reflect, to see old friends, to re-unite, the time for a closer association with the young people."

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## Garden Notes

# A Blessed Band

By M. V. CHESNUT, FRHS

To all gardeners in the northern hemisphere, it must seem a particularly happy coincidence that Christmas falls during the period of the winter solstice, just as the shortest day and the longest night of the year have passed. There seems to be a parallel here, for just as the joyous feast celebrating the birth of Jesus brings a message of new hope and a fresh start for mankind, so does the sun, now commencing another long returning climb into the northern heavens, gives promise of that annual resurrection which we call spring.

No matter what weather January may bring—no matter how much it may snow or how low the temperature may drop during the coming weeks—each morning the sun will rise about a minute earlier than yesterday and set about a minute later; each lengthening day brings us that much nearer that final release from winter's grip which every gardener awaits with eager anticipation.

We who are gardeners have much to be thankful for. Those of us who dabble our hands in the good earth—whether for a living or as a hobby, from dawn to dusk or for a few hours a week—are indeed fortunate, for we

have been blessed with the joys of anticipation, and we are never bored.

We work hand in hand with nature and with the natural processes of life. We have an abiding scale of values. In these days of automation and mechanization, we have the satisfactions and sense of accomplishment that spring from work planned in our own brain and performed with our own hands. We rejoice in the companionship and friendly rivalry with our fellow gardeners, and in the peaceful contentment we derive from contact with the earth and its wonderful bounty.

At this season of goodwill, world peace seems almost as remote as ever, while violence and sudden death are becoming commonplace occurrences in our daily news, yet the gardener doesn't fret himself unduly, for he sees things in their true perspective.

His chosen hobby is one that fosters a hopeful and optimistic outlook, and he can at any time forget the sputniks and ballistic missiles in the contemplation of those more wonderful if less spectacular marvels of plant life which are his daily companions: The radar-like sensitivity with which the face of a sunflower follows the course of the sun across the heavens; the exquisitely delicate mechanism by which plants ensure

the cross pollination of their flowers; the ingenuity with which a cyclamen or a peanut plant will actually push its own seeds into the soil.

There is a prayer engraved in Chester Cathedral in England which might have been especially written for our kind of folk. It goes as follows:

"Give me a good digestion, Lord; And something to digest; Give me a healthy body, Lord, With sense to keep it at its best. Give me a healthy mind, good Lord, To keep the good and pure in sight. But finds a way to put it right. Give me a mind that it not bored. That does not whimper, whine or sigh.

Don't let me worry overmuch About this fussy thing called 'I.' Give me a sense of humor, Lord, Give me the grace to see a joke; To get some happiness in life And pass it on to other folk."

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all my fellow gardeners a most happy Christmas. May your day be filled with contentment, and may the same and steady outlook of all those who work with their hands in the soil spread throughout the world, to give us peace in which to enjoy the fruits of the good earth.

## JACK SMITH Weighs Inconsequential Theory

# Do Ties Reflect Character?

It is often thought that one can tell much about a man by his neckties. If nothing else, I suppose, they are a clue to his taste in neckties, or his wife's taste.

I had occasion to weigh this inconsequential theory the other evening when I lost my balance in the bedroom, grabbed at my tierack for support, and yanked it off the wall.

My ties came down in a writhing heap, like Medusa's hairdo.

I sat on the bed and regarded them, wondering if I might derive from this motley pile some insights into my own murky character.

There were perhaps a hundred of them there, crawling amongst themselves in inextricable anguish.

From the pile on the floor I tried to find out what kind of moods I have. I know I have red moods, blue moods, brown, yellow, black, and even purple moods.

But do I have polka-dot moods? Striped moods? Paisley moods? Fleur de lis moods? Apparently so.

How had I managed to acquire

which the male animal emulates

the peacock's fan and the tail feathers of the Guatamalan quetzal?

I pulled one wretched thing from the morass. It was of wool, and barred, horizontally, like the king snake, with grey, maroon, green and black. I could not imagine ever having worn it, much less having bought it.

Yet this monster must be a creature of my own choice. Else what was it doing in this nest?

Another caught my eye. It had a greyish yellow field, upon which were scattered black and bright yellow confetti and large black diamonds quartered by crosses of white dots. It was a hideous end toward which some poor silkworm had labored.

I left them there on the floor, to work out their own problems, and went to bed.

In the night, apparently, my wife stumbled on the ties and in festive mood, I suppose, this being the season to be jolly, festooned the room with them.

In the morning when I awoke they hung all about me, dangling from the lights, from the valances, from the picture on the wall, from the statue of Don Quixote, from every bracket, sconce and hanger.

I felt as if I had awakened in a cave of coloured stalagmites which had dripped during the night from the incomprehensible reservoirs of my own mind.

I expressed this thought to my wife.

"You mean stalactites," she said.

## The Little World of SHEILA GRAHAM

# The Reluctant Groom

HOLLYWOOD, (NANA)—I have the feeling that Richard Burton is a reluctant bridegroom. He did not want a divorce from his wife, no matter what Elizabeth Taylor says. Of course, he didn't want to give up Elizabeth, either. I believe he is a very depressed, unhappy man because he does love his children and he does respect Sybil Burton. It's my opinion that Miss Taylor has won herself a pyrrhic victory. She will pay a price for having pried Mr. Burton from the family he has always loved very dearly. Now she will be the wife. And what happens if there is another woman? Richard's past record would indicate that sooner or later there will be someone for Elizabeth to worry about. When I mentioned the figure of \$1,500,000 as the settlement for Sybil about a year ago, it was pooh-poohed in certain quarters, but now I seem to have been correct.

Arlene Dahl was saying, shortly before the separation from rich oilman Chris Holmes, "He's not as rich as people think. He has three ex-wives to support." He will soon have four.

Peter Sellers is naming his new \$200,000, 75-foot yacht "Lolita." The interior decoration is in the hands of the son-in-law of Earl Mountbatten, David Hicks, who is in great demand for elegant restaurants and homes in London.

The new James Bond movie thriller, From Russia, With Love, is expected to make a worldwide profit of \$10,000,000. No wonder director Terence Young is so much in demand. And it hasn't hurt star Sean Connery, either.

Joe Levine's first Hollywood-produced movie, The Carpetbaggers, won't be released until next summer. But the wily Joe is already discussing new movie deals with his star Carol Baker. When The Carpetbaggers is seen, Carroll will be the honey that all the producers will be flying after.

Marcello Mastroianni's first English-speaking role is titled The Grand Confusion. And it might well be, considering the state of his English. When I saw him in Rome last summer, Marcello was trying, but he still had some way to go before he could speak for himself in the English language.

Ella Kazan has given us a new star in 21-year-old Natalie Giaiello, who plays the young hero, Stavros Topouzoglou in his fine film, America, America. He is stupendous. And this is his first movie. How sad that Mrs. Kazan died suddenly, the day before the New York premiere.

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It's a white Christmas for Jimmy Stewart, wife Gloria and the four children, in Aspen, Colo. Jimmy says he will watch from inside a well-heated lodge, while the others skate and ski . . . It's also a snow job for Janet Leigh, her husband Bob Brandt and her children. Janet is married to an expert skier and she will be spending most of this winter on the slopes. Janet will not be inside watching She'll be up to her attractive neck in snow.

Judy Garland will be turning her attention more to her records and singing than to television after this season.

How's this for a title: Three Nuts In Search Of A Bolt? Ziva Rodman, the sultry actress from Israel is the star. Tommy Noonan, who has barely recovered from his Promises, Promises picture and the nudity of Jayne Mansfield in same, is the producer and will co-star.

Rhonda Fleming was to be paid \$35,000 for a guest cameo in Flowers for Elizabeth. Writer-director Paul Milt met the lovely redhead, promptly rewrote the script to star her with Rosanna Russell, changed the title to Instant Love, and paid her \$125,000, plus the trip to Rio where the film was shot.

El Wallach manhandles that sweet Hayley Mills in The Moonspinners. Boo! . . . A recent marriage that made headlines is having some lost weekends on the part of the bride. The groom is trying to get her to join AA.

## Getting Rich Not Done

Points Out  
JOHN CROSBY

LONDON — A good many English still harbor the conviction that it's all right for some people to be rich (dukes and earls and a small selection of commoners who have had a bundle for many generations) but that it's bad for the lower classes to have too much money.

Getting rich is, of course, unpardonable (being rich is all right).

Just the same, England is full of people getting fearfully rich—the Charles Clores, Jack Cottons—and one of them is John Bloom, a 32-year-old salesman who operated out of one room five years ago and today can scarcely count his millions. In pounds, that is.

One of the secrets is newspaper advertising. Fill in the coupon. We'll send the stuff.

Eliminate the middleman.

Of course, that means eliminate shops. "The old small shop has had its day," he told me the other day over lunch.

"Unless it provides fabulous service." This nation of shopkeepers is hardly going to look build a better mousetrap, the world will beat a path to your door. Bloom doesn't believe this. He thinks the newspaper already has a path to your door and that you don't really need a better mousetrap—just a cheaper one.

He used to manufacture the washing machines, but he's given that up too. He's strictly a salesman and he thinks it's a breach of etiquette the establishment won't easily forgive. Bad tooth and claw man.

Since the Industrial Revolution, the British businessman has had a hurry about it.

This heresy has made him very rich, very fast, a breach

fighting him tooth and claw, but Bloom is a pretty good牙人, he's unseemly to be in

# Kidnap-Robbery Spurs Police Search

NANAIMO — Two armed robbers are being sought by the telephone wires.

"I was able to free myself in about five minutes," Mr. Donaldson said, "and I immediately notified police."

Around 11 p.m. the robbers called at the room of store manager George Donaldson in a nearby motel and forced him to open the safe.

The manager had made a night deposit earlier in the evening; otherwise the loss might have been greater.

Staff Sergeant Frank Slater, RCMP, said the robbery was a professional job and issued a description of the men.

He requested anyone seeing them to get in touch with RCMP, Nanaimo, phone SK 4-2345.

One was six feet, 180 pounds, 20-25 years old with dark brown hair and a cut or scar on his right temple. Clean-shaven, he wore a three-quarter navy blue topcoat and a black glove on his left hand. The other hand was smooth-skinned.

The other was five-foot-nine or 10, 180 pounds, 20-25 years old with dark brown curly hair. Clean-shaven, he wore a coat similar to the other. His hands were rough and cracked. He wore suede, rubber-soled shoes.

Both men held the gun pointed at me and made me open the store door and the office door," Mr. Donaldson told the Colonist last night, "then they made me open the safe."

While one covered Mr. Donaldson the other rifled the safe.

They robbed him of his wallet, took his wrists and ankles and a gunpoint in the cooler.

## Flood Threat Now Eased

Flood conditions are easing after three days of storms which dumped almost eight inches of rain on the Alberni, three inches on Nanaimo and nearly four inches on Comox.

Worst hit were Port Alberni residents who finally had their water restored yesterday afternoon after two days of voluntary rationing.

### MAIN CUT

Early Monday a mudslide on the Franklin River Road cut off their water main from China Creek.

The town was never without water. An eight-inch auxiliary line was laid from a stream and water was pumped from one reservoir to another.

A shuttle service by two water-carrying tanker trucks was used to keep a sawmill operating but several industries were closed.

### FORCED OUT

In the Nanaimo area 12 families were forced to flee their homes when the Nanaimo

## Rains Hit Bridge, West Road

PORTRENFREW — Heavy rains which dumped eight inches of water on this area in a 24-hour period Sunday and Monday washed out Harris Cove bridge and several sections of Bear Creek Road.

The swollen San Juan River spilled over its banks at several places, flooding fields with three to four feet of water before the river started to subside.

Two central spans of the 1,200-foot-long Harris Cove bridge were washed out to sea. Some Port Renfrew residents, stranded on the far side of the bridge about one mile south of here, had to spend the night with friends.

It was not known yesterday how long it will take to rebuild the 120-foot-wide missing part of the bridge.

It was also reported that several sections of Bear Creek Road from Shawnigan Lake to Port Renfrew were washed away near Shawnigan Lake.

## Landslide Kills Elderly Man

WHITE ROCK, B.C. (CP) — A landslide, caused by heavy rains that pounded the British Columbia lower mainland and Vancouver Island areas for two days, has taken the life of an elderly man.

Albert Berry, 81, was killed in his sleep Monday night when a tree toppled from a 150-foot bank above his cabin, smashing the building when it landed.

## Store Thief Quits At Last Moment

A bold thief chickened out after loading a cardboard box with about 40 cartons of cigarettes and putting it in a shopping cart at a Safeway store at Fort and Foul Bay Road Saturday.

He pushed the cart almost as far as the door, then ran out and jumped in his car, leaving \$10 worth of cigarettes.

## Firemen Rescue Man from Swamp

A man who apparently wandered off course to do a good turn was rescued by Saanich firemen when he was found knee deep in mud in a swamp opposite Swan Lake near Kent Road Monday.

The man told firemen he was trying to tie down a bridge in the swamp so it wouldn't float away.

**A Very Merry Christmas**



MAURICE



BARLEY



BRUCE

FROM THE  
**HUMBER BROTHERS**

## Old Hearth Warmed Yesterday's Yules

By BEA HAMILTON

Christmas started in an old-fashioned way in an old-fashioned age in Fulford Harbor many years ago — but then Christmas is old-fashioned.

And at Dromore, our Salt Spring Island home built on the site of our original family homestead of the same name, memories of childhood Christmases linger around a photograph of an old out-sized fireplace.

Built in 1898, before I came to join my 12 brothers and sis-

ters, the fireplace took up almost the whole end of what we very gravely called the drawing room.

### REAL HISTORY

A real history surrounds that old fireplace where many a time we heard a cricket chirruping on the hearth.

On the over-burdened mantle piece with its tapestry and braided trimming stood pictures of King George V and Queen Mary flanked by the more distinguished members of our Hamilton clan. There

was Uncle George from the diplomatic service, Grandfather Archdeacon Hamilton of Londonderry, and great-Uncle John Lawrence, Viceroy of India.

There were always masses of trailing plants and clematis and the old marble clock that never gave any time but eleven o'clock from the time I can remember.

Many a stocking was "hung by the chimney with care" and we children were sure that the huge chimney had been thought

fully built to accommodate the hanging brass lamp with the round Father Christmas and dangling prisms casting shadows that brought Marley's Ghost old gentleman never failed us into the room realistically, even though he did not get stuck in to the clanking chains.

We shivered with delicious thrills and were properly horrified with old Scrooge and his mean streak.

We wept a tear for Tiny Tim, and loved the whole reading.

We sang Christmas carols and in the firelight there came into the room the meaning of the real Christmas and thoughts of the Holy Babe, with a hope for peace on earth, good will towards men which still lingers in the newer and more modern age at the new Dromore.

But if one grew too hot and burst away, popping across the room, that romance went out the window. We kiddies predicted many of the early performances that way and ate the poor note with relish afterwards.

### DANCING SHADOWS

Perhaps the loveliest memory comes from the first time we heard Dickens' Christmas Carol. Father read this immortal classic to us one late Christmas afternoon with the oil lamp in and shadows dancing from the

assailant.

## SANDS Funeral Chapels

Three chapels dedicated to thoughtful and understanding service.

Victoria EV 3-7511

Sidney GR 3-2921

Colwood GR 3-2921

## Despite Doctors' Boost

## No Increase, Says MSA

VANCOUVER (CP) — Medical Services Association announced Tuesday there will be no increase in premiums despite an increase in fees by doctors.

An average 5.7 per cent increase in medical fees will go into effect Jan. 1.

In a statement MSA, the doctors' group medical insurance plan, said agreement has been reached with the B.C. Medical Association covering doctors' fees for three years beginning Jan. 1.

"There will be no increase in MSA members' premiums," said the statement.

"A four-point agreement provides that the new fee schedule

as proposed by the doctors will be bound for three years instead of two as provided in the existing agreement."

The agreement establishes a

joint committee representing the MSA board of directors and the medical association to deal with over-servicing and over-utilization.

ST. ROMUALD, Que. (CP) — Most of the 10 persons injured Tuesday in a passenger train fire were cut when breaking windows of a coach, CNR officials said.

None of the passengers jumped and only Jeannot Boucher, 22, of Montreal, was admitted to hospital. He was released about five hours later following treatment for an injured knee.

The blaze broke out in faulty wiring on the second coach of the CNR's Scotian, bound for Halifax from Montreal, shortly before it was due in Levis, opposite Quebec City, at 3:35 a.m.

Highway 19 was inundated briefly in many places.

## Older Boys To Govern

The 33rd session of the Older Boys' Parliament, with repre-

sentatives from seven reli-

gious denominations, will sit

in the Legislative Buildings

from Dec. 27 to 31.

Public sittings will be held

starting at 8 p.m. Friday, 2 to

5 p.m. and 8 to 11 p.m. Saturday,

2 to 5 p.m. and 8 to 11 p.m.

Monday and from 2 to 3 p.m.

Tuesday.

Victoria's representatives are

Brian A. Smith, 17, Stephen

Stark, 17, Roy Hamill, Bill Nelson, 16, Jack Miller, 17, and

Steve Holmes, 16.

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**Personal Shopping Only—Please, No Telephone or Mail Orders**

Here's EATON'S annual big special purchase of well-known foundation garments. Your once-a-year opportunity to make the most of your figure . . . the most of your dollars. This special event enables you to choose truly well-fitted founda-

dation garments—designed to smooth and support your figure—all at special low prices! Let your EATON Account help you take full advantage of these worthwhile savings!

**Special Purchase! . . .**

**"Corde de Parie" Corselette**

Ordinarily 18.50

One smooth line from bust to thigh achieved by this one-piece foundation of lightweight nylon power net. Nylon satin front panel, back panel has hook closing. The figure-flattering bustline is of nylon and lace.

Sizes 33 to 40.

Special, each

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**Figure Controlling Foundations**

**Long Leg Pantie Girdle**

Ordinarily 13.95 . . . lightweight nylon elastic power net. Front and back panels provide added support and smooth lines. Medium and large sizes. Special, each

**9.99**

**Pull-on Style Girdle**

Ordinarily 11.85 . . . made of nylon elastic power net in medium or long lengths. For firm support these "Answer" girdles have front and back panels. Sizes 26 to 32. Special, each

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**Gossard Corselette**

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**Gothic Padded Bras**

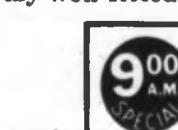
Ordinarily 1.99 . . . Made of cotton broadcloth with breathing waist. Bandeau style with light padding. Sizes 32 to 36 in A and B fittings. Special, each

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Easy-to-wear all elastic girdles in neat pull-on style. Small, medium and large sizes. 9 o'Clock Special, each

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**Bandea Brassieres**

Contour style cotton bandeau brassieres in sizes 32 to 36. Comfortable support in hard-wearing, easy-to-wash cotton. 9 o'Clock Special, each

**50c**

**Side Zipper Girdle  
by Warner**

Control your figure for a new slim look with one of these lightweight power net girdles. For extra support they have a satin lastex back section, lace front . . . for smooth fit they have zipper closing. Sizes 26 to 32.

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**Warner's "Delilah" Girdles**

Lightweight Lycra foundations that are firm controlling yet you'll hardly know you're wearing them! Matchmate styles for every occasion . . . all in uncoved Lycra.

**Pantie Girdle** has double front panel, seamless back, high front, four hose supporters. Small, medium, large. Ordinarily 8.95.

**6.99**

**Pantie Girdle** is average length with no-bind freedom. Small, medium and large. Ordinarily 10.50.

**7.99**

**Long Leg Pantie** has the same freedom but longer legs for thigh control, detachable garters. Medium and large. Ordinarily 12.50.

**9.99**

**Clearance of Samples**

**by Warners—½ Price!**

Be sure and see this clearance group of traveller's samples . . . treat yourself to a whole new foundation wardrobe. Choose from girdles, corsets, brassieres. Broken sizes. Special, each

**3.99 to 13.25**

**Clearance of Discontinued Styles  
"Skippies" Girdles**

For smooth, sleek lines beneath all your clothes choose girdles and bras from this clearance group!

**Group 1—Ordinarily 6.95 to 7.95**  
Included here are girdles and pantie girdles of nylon elastic power net. Small, medium, large and extra large sizes. Special, each

**3.99**

**Group 2—Ordinarily 9.00 to 12.50**  
Includes brassieres and basques of nylon marquisette. Broken size range. Special, each

**4.99**

**"Magic Lady" Foundations  
Briefs and Pantie Girdles**

For gals on the go . . . light, lovely foundations at a special budget-wise price! These lightweight girdles feel like nothing on . . . fit like your skin, because they're fashioned of power net. Brief or long leg pantie styles, in small, medium and large sizes. Ordinarily 4.95.

**3.99**

**Playtex "Golden" Girdles**

**Pull-on Style—Ordinarily 11.95**  
No thigh bulge with the Golden Playtex long-leg pantie. Cool because its cloth lined. Special, each

**8.95**

**Zipper Style—Ordinarily 13.00**  
This slip-on with zipper is even easier to put on, take off. Cool, cloth lined. Special, each

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EATON'S—Foundations, Fashion Floor

## Half Price Clearance! Trim-a-Home Shop

On Sale as Long as Quantities Last

Regularly 59c to 27.00

Now's the time to choose and save, during the clearance from our Trim-a-Home Shop. From small, blown glass and plastic ornaments, sets of tree lights to artificial trees, items are being cleared at half price! Now's the time to tuck away several boxes of ornaments, glittering wreaths and other Christmas decorations. Buy now for next season.

**Clearance**

**29c to 13<sup>50</sup>**

EATON'S—Trim-a-Home Shop, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

**Special Purchase!**

**Nurses'**

**Uniforms**

Ord. 12.95 to 14.95

Crisp, smart-looking uniforms for nurses are made of easy-to-wash "Terylene" that stays neat and fresh all day! Several attractive styles to choose from in sizes 12 to 20 collectively.

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Special, each

EATON'S—Cotton Shop, Second Floor

For New Year's . . . For Special Occasions All Year!

## 1/2 Price Candle Shop Clearance

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Shop early for your favourite selection from this gala collection of candles from EATON'S Candle Shop . . . not just for next Christmas or New Year's festivities . . . but for those special events in 1964! Choose delicate twisted party tapers, jolly Santas, candles in vases, cookie jars or brandy snifters . . . reusable after the candle has burned! Stock up also on sparkling Christmas snowballs, pillars and baby trees!

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EATON'S—Candle Shop, Main Floor

Be at EATON'S Red Basket Shop Friday!

## 1/2 Price Clearance—Cards, Wrappings!

There's a big saving awaiting you at EATON'S Red Basket Shop this Friday when both cards and wrapping paper are cleared at HALF PRICE! Stock up on those "extras" for next Christmas now . . . choose from a delightful assortment of Christmas cards and gay, decorative wrapping papers

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**Complete Gift Wrap Needs**

**For Exciting Looking Parcels**

There's still a gay, colourful assortment of fancy gift wrap including ribbons, tags, seals, luxurious foils and specialty papers for you to save on for next year! Or choose a complete wrapping ensemble with ribbons, bows, and enclosure cards to match the paper.

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**5c to 2<sup>97</sup>**

Clearance

**Choose from a Wide Range  
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So many different Christmas cards to choose . . . you'll want several boxes in these delightful new festive motifs. Leading card manufacturers offer you still-life and scenic cards, cards for children, religious, traditional and modern cards, too.

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**29c to 3<sup>00</sup>**

EATON'S—Red Basket Shop, Third Floor



EATON'S ... Shop Friday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

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## 7 O'CLOCK SPECIALS

On Sale from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. (If quantities last). Please, No Telephone or Mail Orders.

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
Women's Gowns  
Waltz length flannelette nightgown with square neckline, short sleeves, full skirt. Assorted colour prints. Small, medium and large.  
7 o'clock Special, each 1.59  
EATON'S—Downstairs Budget Store

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
Crest Toothpaste  
Leaves a clean, refreshing taste in your mouth . . . helps to reduce cavities. Giant size 2½ oz. tube.  
7 o'clock Special, tube 48c  
EATON'S—Toiletries, Main Floor

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
New Year's Eve Favours  
Buy your paper napkins, cups and plates at special savings Friday.  
7 o'clock Special, each 19c  
EATON'S—Stationery, Main Floor

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
Women's Vests  
All-wool vests with wide shoulder straps or short sleeves. Medium and large only.  
7 o'clock Special, each 1.50  
EATON'S—Lingerie, Second Floor

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
Cake Container  
Metal construction, assorted sizes, colours and shapes.  
7 o'clock Special, each 5.49  
EATON'S—Housewares, Lower Main Floor

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
Laminated Jackets—  
Half Price!  
Casual jackets to wear now and through the Spring. Zipper front style, with or without collar. Good choice of colours in sizes 36 to 44 in the group. Reg. 16.95 to 19.95.  
7 o'clock Special, each 8.47 to 9.97  
EATON'S—Men's Wear, Main Floor

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
Flatware Set  
42-pc. stainless steel flatware in a service for eight: knives, forks, salad forks, teaspoons and 1 each sugar shell and butter knife.  
7 o'clock Special, set 6.95  
EATON'S—Silverware, Main Floor

**7:00 P.M. SPECIAL**  
Children's Snowsuits—  
Half Price!  
25 only! Nylon and cotton 1-pc. suits, pile lined, attached hood. Brown, blue, red; 5 to 6x. Half price.  
7 o'clock Special, each 6.99  
EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor

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Reg. 29.95 and 39.95

#### Italian Cotton Raincoats

A saving that will add dollars to your budget . . . this smart-looking imported raincoat features notched collar, flap pockets and full zippered-in fleece lining or wool flannel lining. Button front, 34" length, sizes 36 to 46 in beige, blue or charcoal shades.

Clearance, each

**19<sup>96</sup>** and **26<sup>63</sup>**

Reg. 1.50 to 11.95

#### Warm Underwear

Choose from a wide variety of fabrics including Kroy wool, cotton and wool blends, nylon, rayon and cotton . . . Group features brevets, jerseys, drawers, T-shirts and combinations, and Thermal wear.

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**75¢** to **5<sup>97</sup>**

EATON'S—Men's Wear, Main Floor

## YEAR-END

# CLEARANCE

A Once-in-a-year opportunity! Shop at EATON'S 'till 9 p.m. Friday for these outstanding values in fashions, shoes and millinery! For the children, too, take advantage of this Year-End Clearance to outfit them for school next

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**1/3 to 1/2 Off**

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Have a rich, flattering finish to your new winter coat . . . with warm fur collar! Furs include mink, fox, Persian lamb and beaver on faille, boucle, wool and mohair blend and novelty weave coats. Sizes 6 to 18 in the group. Clearance, each

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**Fall Suits**

Reg. 35.00 to 149.95

Selection includes 2 and 3-piece styles in winter-weight double knits, wool worsteds and poodle cloths. Broken colours, sizes 10 to 18 in the group. Clearance, each

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**Day and Date Dresses**

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So many fabrics and styles to choose from . . . you'll be sure to find a dress that's suitable for both day and evening wear. Choose from double knits, crepes, wool jerseys and novelty weaves . . . all at special savings to you! Sizes 8 to 20 in the group. Clearance, each

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#### Fashions from Paris, New York, Sweden!

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**Clearance 1/3 to 1/2 Off Reg. Prices!**

**Coats—Reg. 129.50 to 249.50**

Several styles (mostly one of a kind) to choose from . . . in various fabrics including tweed checks and plain colours. Clearance, each

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**Suits—Reg. 125.00 to 250.00**

Smart Fall suits, mostly in French styles, of flannels, tweeds, and a few knits.

Clearance, each

**62.50 to 150.00**

**Dresses—Reg. 75.00 to 439.50**

Wools, silks, crepes and novelty fabrics make attractive cocktail or afternoon dresses. A few evening dresses in the group. Clearance, each

**37.50 to 349.50**

EATON'S—Import Room, Second Floor

**1/3 to 1/2 Off Reg. Price!**

#### Half Sizes

**Dresses—Reg. 16.95 to 69.95**

Flattering, slimming fashions in attractive novelty fabrics . . . at prices you'll love! Choose smart wools, "Arnel," crepes and novelty fabrics — even a few cocktail dresses in the group! Sizes 12½ to 24½ collectively. Clearance, each

**8.45 to 46.65**

**Suits—Reg. 29.95 to 110.00**

Expertly cut and finished for you who wear a specialized size! Selection includes several styles in a variety of novelty fabrics. Broken colours and sizes. Clearance, each

**14.95 to 73.40**

EATON'S—Half Sizes, Second Floor

**Coats—1/3 Off Reg. Price**

If you wear a half size . . . be sure you take advantage of this opportunity to save on a coat for winter wear! Choose a fur-trimmed style, or others with plain collars. Broken sizes and colours. Clearance, each

**26.60 to 73.40**

EATON'S—Half Sizes, Second Floor

#### Save on Smart Separates for

## Sportswear 1/2 Price

(Broken sizes and colours)

**Reg. 6.95 to 25.00**

#### Sweaters

Exciting fall and winter colours in bulky or plain knits. Clearance, each

**3.47 to 12.50**

**Reg. 8.95 to 19.95**

#### Slims

Choose from stretch or worsted fabrics in a variety of colours. Clearance, pair

**4.47 to 9.97**

**Reg. 10.95 to 22.50**

#### Skirts

In attractive wools in straight and box-pleated styles. Clearance, each

**5.47 to 11.25**

**Reg. 3.95 to 8.95**

#### Blouses

Mix or match them . . . Choose from silks and cottons in fancy or shirt styles. Clearance, each

**1.97 to 4.47**

EATON'S—Sportswear, Second Floor

## Juniors

#### Half Price

#### Coat Clearance

Reg. 35.00 to 79.50

Buy your warm winter coat in the latest design and material at these special prices that will leave you dollars and cents off your budget! Selection includes wools and poplins . . . some styles have the popular racoon collars, brass button fronts and patch pockets. Clearance, each

**17<sup>50</sup> to 39<sup>75</sup>**

EATON'S—Coats, Second Floor

#### Half Price

#### Dress Clearance

Reg. 19.95 to 39.50

Don't miss this once-in-a-year chance to get that extra dress for the New Year! Take advantage of these outstanding HALF PRICE SAVINGS on a good variety of wool dresses and party dresses in chiffons and brocades in many styles and pretty fall and winter colours. Broken sizes and colours. Clearance, each

**9<sup>97</sup> to 19<sup>75</sup>**

EATON'S—Junior Dresses, Second Floor

#### Half Price!

#### Fall Millinery

#### Three Smart Groupings

Stock up on millinery for next year while these special values are yours! Be sure to shop early for best selection, too, from this wide assortment of fall hats in attractive colours! There's velours, velvets, fake furs, feathers, soleils and felt to choose from in styles to suit everyone!

Group One. Each

**2.97 to 4.97**

Group Two. Each

**5.97 to 11.97**

Group Three. Each

**13.00 to 22.50**

EATON'S—Millinery, Second Floor

#### Special Fashion Values!

#### ACCESSORIES

#### Women's Casual Hats

Jaunty tam-shaped hats of mohair wool and nylon blend. Knit with a fashionable loop stitch. Blue, mauve, brown. Clearance, each

**1.39**

#### Women's Gloves

Shorties and four-button length gloves of double woven nylon. Broken sizes and colours in this clearance group. Clearance, pair

**1.29**

#### Girls' Tights

Plain knit tights . . . a must in a young gal's wardrobe. Broken colour selection . . . sizes collectively are 7 to 9, 10 to 11 and 12 to 14. Clearance, pair

**1.39**

#### Jacquard Knit Sheath Dresses

Regular 6.95 and 8.95 . . . smart, fashionable one-piece sheaths in washable fabric. Elasticized at waist for trim fit. Broken sizes and colours. Clearance, each

**4.49**

EATON'S—Accessories, Main Floor

Reg. 14.95 and 15.95

#### Women's Dress Shoes

Get several pairs for those special events next year. Group includes high and illusion heels in black, red and brown. Cleared from our regular stock. Sizes 5 to 10 collectively. Clearance, pair

**3.99**

**9.98**

Reg. 4.98

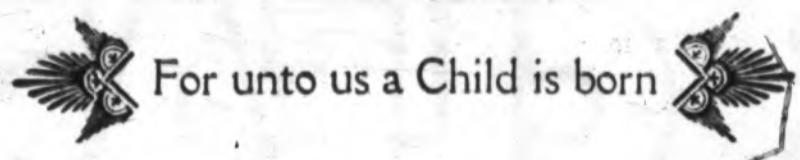
#### Teeners' Flats

Clearance of broken and discontinued lines in co-eds' shoes. Smart, foot-flattering styles to choose from in broken sizes, colours and styles. Clearance, pair

**3.99**

**2.99**

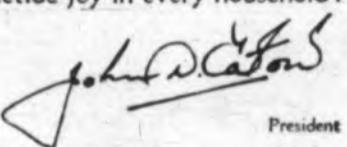
Reg. 14.95

 For unto us a Child is born



Woodcut by Albrecht Dürer

Christmas is a happy time with many happy traditions and occasions  
...but the deep significance of Christmas is best reflected in the spirit  
of goodwill so evident on every hand. We re-echo the sincere and simple  
message to all our friends within the vast expanse of Canada and  
beyond its borders...a Merry Christmas to our customers, business  
associates and staff. May there be yuletide joy in every household!

  
President  
**EATON'S OF CANADA**

*Hampers, Christmas Dinners**Sally Ann's Busy Spreading Cheer*

More than 300 Christmas hampers have been delivered to needy families in the Greater Victoria area this year. A member of the Salvation Army said last night that each hamper, distributed with the help of the Victoria Motorcycle Club, contains either a turkey or a roast of beef and also includes all the other ingredients of a Christmas dinner.

Tonight 170 people are expected to sit down to Christmas dinner at two Salvation Army units in town. Christmas dinner is to be served at both the men's social department on Johnson Street and the army's centre for alcoholics, the Harbor Light.

A festive dinner will be served to some 150 elderly people at the Salvation Army Citadel Jan. 8.

*Things Got Done in '63**Victoria Forges Ahead*

By IAN STREET

*Snowdrops Celebrate Christmas*

Victoria's Christmas weather has been so balmy that at least one woman was out picking snowdrops yesterday.

Mrs. Kathleen Wyseman, 417 Stafford, found two of the little white flowers in her yard and put them in a bouquet with jasmine and Christmas roses.

Snowdrops are the first heralds of spring.

*CITY HALL COMMENT*

Victoria has forged ahead on several fronts during the past year. Groundwork has also been laid for changes that are bound to have a far-reaching effect on the future growth of the city.

This has been a year for getting things done; the \$2,000,000 Centennial Square project is well on its way with the first major construction phases already started; the intermunicipal Juvenile detention home was completed; long-awaited downtown tree planting program was launched.

It was the year that the city became serious about smoke abatement and began the sys-

tematic keeping of records as downtown paint-up and that will help whip the problem in the next few years. And the metro health authorities got interested in smoke as a health hazard.

Traffic, a perennial headache in Victoria, made some big advances with the removal of the roundabout and installation of electronically controlled signals at the new intersection.

Rose Street extension, completed at a cost of only an additional \$100,000 falls a good deal short of the need for a second main entrance to the city, but it works. This is shown by the 10,000 cars a day that use it.

And in the process Victoria drivers, to their surprise, discovered that one-way traffic wasn't the frightening experience it was cracked up to be.

*Third Store*

A third major department store opened last fall and, judging by the congestion downtown in the past week and the well filled parking lot at Mayfair, magically, the shopping dollar seemed to stretch to cover everyone, though there are some private doubts expressed about the welfare of the small businessman.

It shows, too, that we have a long way to go before we lick the traffic problem in Victoria.

Council hired a city manager and found, rather unexpectedly, that there was a new firmness in the way city hall business was being managed.

The first of what are expected to be more organizational changes within city hall came with the appointment of the planning officer to a special projects branch which will deal with such pressing mat-

the record year in 1962, which saw more than \$15,000,000 in new construction, but it has still averaged more than \$1,000,000 a month.

This has been a year of thawing intermunicipal relations. Despite an exchange of hard words over opposition to a Saanich application to discharge treated sewage into the Gorge via Colquitz Creek (which was rejected) the four municipalities have agreed to share cost of a survey of future sewer needs throughout Greater Victoria.

Other intermunicipal studies are to be launched on public library services and acquisition of parkland on the Saanich peninsula.

*Joint Court*

With a shove from the provincial government, the area got a joint police court. When the Saanich location proved inconvenient to authorities and public alike, the city decided to build new joint court facilities downtown. The necessary money bylaw this year. The city also paid off was passed by a four-to-one \$700,000 of its debt due in vote. How well the plan works will be known by this time next year. But it looks promising.

*Near Record**Transport, Stores Taxed by Crowds*

Holiday crowds kept Victoria stores and Vancouver Island-Mainland transportation systems busy right up to the last minute last night.

G. Conway Parrott, general to turn out to be close to an manager of Vancouver Island all-time record for passengers that the line expects yesterday.

*After 20 Years**Mute Bell Peals*

While church bells were pealing loudly in Victoria last night, a little bell ringing for the first time in about 20 years called the Songhees and Esquimalt Indian Bands to midnight mass in the wilds of Esquimalt.

The bell had no rope and none of the congregation could remember when it last rang from its little belfry atop an old Indian school on Admirals Road.

Harry Dick and a friend named Pat climbed the roof of the rickety building yesterday and attached a rope to the bell so it could be rung for midnight mass.

The Indians also set up a Nativity scene outside the school — which has a small chapel at one end and serves as a place of worship on Sundays.

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This is a scene that will be duplicated in many Victoria homes this morning. The attractive little girls, Brenda,

left, and Leslie are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Liersch, 1059 Deal Street.—(Robin Clarke)

## ANN LANDERS



**Dear Readers:** One of the fascinating aspects of writing this column is the wide range of opinions expressed by people who write to me. Recently I printed a letter from a graduate of New York University. She had been elected to Phi Beta Kappa and wore her Phi Beta Kappa key on a chain around her neck. A girl friend pulled her off to the side at a party and told her it was "in poor taste." I disagreed—and suggested that perhaps her friend was jealous.

A deluge of letters has been pouring in from readers who it up at all. Finally I asked him why. He replied: "Those senters cannot be brushed off. I'd like to impress wouldn't be lightly, since they are largely impressed — and those who Phi Beta Kappas. Here are would be impressed aren't some samples of what part of worth impressing."

From Hartford, Conn.: Your reply to the girl who signed herself "Yonkers" showed a shocking lack of knowledge. The majority of Phi Beta Kappas (I am only one of the vast number) wouldn't be caught dead wearing the key.

From Given Bay, Wis.: I was elected to Phi Beta Kappa in my junior year at the University of Wisconsin. I had the key made into a pin and I wore it exactly once. The young man who took me out that evening greeted me with, "Oh, I see you're wearing your 'I am brainy' medal tonight." The pin has not been out of the box since — and that was 10 years ago.

From Rochester, Minn.: My husband is a Phi Beta Kappa from the University of Minnesota. When we were dating I asked him a dozen times to pick up his key. He kept stalling. Then one day I realized he had no intention of picking

### Hairstyling Highlights

**FREE PERMS FOR CHRISTMAS!** In honor of the child that was born in a manger 1996 years ago, THE MOLER SCHOOL OF HAIRDRESSING will give 2 FREE PERMS to the readers of this column. Write a letter to 1104 Douglas St. giving your opinion of this column . . . what trend you would like to see it take . . . what information you would like to have included therein . . . MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL . . . and in the NEW YEAR . . . remember your professional hairdresser, guardian of your beauty.

### Bridge Results

Winners of the Almatters Bridge Club Women's pairs and men's pairs club tournament were: Women's Pairs—Velma Arends and Phil Hagen; Pat Hanson and Marianne Powell; Betty Jo Clegg and Shirley McLean; Isabel Arfield and Lois Duncan; Lillian McSweeney and Gwend Brown; Mary Williams, Billie Gove-Cave and George Marsden; Tony Marsh and Bill Simpson-Bailey; Jon Luhua and Walter Allen; Jim Mitchell and Ron Morris.



### STYLERITE SHOES

"Happy Feet Make Happy Faces"

1404 DOUGLAS STREET

J.G.

## Gold and Silver Wedding Gown

A pre-Christmas wedding Kingston, and is attached to the First Battalion PPCLI. A small reception followed in the decorated lounge of the Qualicum Beach Inn where the couple received friends before leaving on a honeymoon trip.

The lovely bride chose a gold and silver sheath dress with matching gold turban and gold lame shoes. She carried a white Bible with a red possetia bouquet with gold streamers attached.

Mrs. Barbara Haynes of Vancouver attended the bride. She was attired in a turquoise peau-dossoe dress with a matching lace jacket.

Sub-Lt. Donald Sutherland of Victoria was best man.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cree of Qualicum Beach and she is a graduate nurse from the Jubilee class of 1963. Lieut. Furlong is a graduate of RMC.



May the message of the angels fill our hearts always.

**MAYNARDS SHOE STORE**  
814 FORT STREET  
EV 3-5743

### Season's Greetings

TO ONE AND ALL

From

**Page THE CLEANER**



As Christmas blessings fill your home

And happy thoughts begin.

May Christmas hours, like window panes,

Let warmth and sunshine in.

Indeed, at this joyous holiday season, we want to wish for you and yours the very finest that life has to offer. And, together with this Season Greetings comes a big and sincere "Thank You" for your loyalty and support. The business with which you have favored us is very much appreciated. We will always strive to continue to serve you in the best way we know.

**A Joyous, Merry Christmas  
and a Bright, Happy New Year**



Yours very truly,

The Management and Staff

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R. W. PAGE,  
Manager

### TO ENGLAND VIA PANAMA CANAL



This ship arrives at Victoria  
for a perfect year-round holiday  
you will enjoy a change of pace and  
of relaxing and staying in the  
warm blue seas down the Pacific  
to Panama.  
Then on through the Panama Canal  
there are several cargo liners leaving  
B.C. ports at regular intervals. See us  
for sailings and fares.  
On via Panama, return by the Atlan-

tic route.

George E. WILLIS, EV 2-6624  
WILLIS TRAVEL BUREAU  
382 Yarrow Bldg., 645 Fort St.



Christmas: a time of gratitude for blessings received —

the blazing hearth, laughter of children, friends and loved ones.

We wish to share our joy and gladness with our neighbours

... whisper a prayer for the less fortunate.

Peace on earth to men of good will . . .

**BIRKS JEWELLERS**

706 - 708 YATES STREET

## JANUARY Clearance Sale

STARTS  
FRI.  
9 A.M.

**Sale**

**Big Reductions on  
New Season Merchandise!**

## DRESSES

A wonderful selection at outstanding savings. Choose from casual or dressy styles in fabrics of wool, double knit, crepe suzette, mohairs, looped mohairs, chiffons, crepes, satins, brocades. Sizes 7 to 15, 10 to 20.

Reg. \$16.95 to \$39.95

### SALE

**\$10.00 to \$24.99**

## COATS

Laminated wools or all-wool fabrics. Choose from fur-trimmed or untrimmed styles in a good selection of styles and colors. Sizes 6 to 16.

Reg. \$29.95 to \$69.95

### SALE

**\$22.99 to \$69.99**

## SUITS

Mostly double knits in two and three-piece styles. Choose from Chanel style jackets or button front style. A wonderful selection of colors in sizes 8 to 18.

Reg. \$29.95 to \$49.95

### SALE

**\$19.99 to \$34.99**

## RAINCOATS

Fine poplin fabrics in reversible or the popular belted styles. Finely woven fabrics to resist wind and rain. Sizes 8 to 18.

Reg. \$19.95 to \$29.95

### SALE

**\$14.99 to \$22.99**

## SWEATERS

Choose from pullovers or cardigans in fine wools, orlon, bulky knits or mohairs. A wonderful selection of styles and colors. Sizes 36 to 40.

Reg. \$8.95 to \$19.95

**SALE \$4.99 to \$12.99**

## BLOUSES

Plain shades or colorful print blouses in tailored or dressy styles. Short or three-quarter length sleeves. Sizes 10 to 18.

Reg. \$4.95 to \$8.95

**SALE \$2.99 to \$4.99**

## BUDGET TERMS AVAILABLE

"Fashions for the Career Girl"

**Taylor's apparel LTD.**

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Mrs. H. P. Ells is spending Christmas with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ells, 1800 Richardson, prior to leaving early in the New Year for California, where

she will stay about two months. Mrs. Ells is pictured above with her daughter-in-law and three granddaughters, Lynn, left, Pat and Wendy Ells.—(Robin Clarke)

## PERSONAL MENTION

The 11th annual Glently Old Boys' Association Christmas dance will be held in the main ballroom of the Crystal Gardens on Boxing night. Mr. Ian Simpson, headmaster, and Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Robert Martin, president of the Association, and Mrs. Martin, will receive the guests.

### Holiday in England

Mr. and Mrs. W. White, Mr. Richard B. Warburton, Mr. Phil Molnar and Mr. Albert E. Cameron are among Victorians who signed the register at B.C. House, London, during the week.

### Wedding in January

The engagement is announced today of Elizabeth Norah (Betty) Harrison, only daughter of Mrs. W. J. Sullivan, 448 Admirals Road, and the late P. P. Harrison, RCN, London, England, to Mr. Kenneth Darrell Bendall, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bendall, 1418 Stanley Avenue. The wedding will take place quietly on Jan. 17.

### Here from Helsinki

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Wardroper with their children, Lawrence and Andrew, have returned to Canada from Helsinki and are guests of Mrs. Wardroper's mother, Alderman Mrs. Lily Wilson for the holiday season. Mr. Wardroper has just completed a tour of duty as counsellor with the Canadian Embassy at Helsinki. After the holidays they will go to Ottawa to live. Mrs. Wilson, also has another daughter, Mrs. L. W. (Marnie) Coburn of North Vancouver with her, at her Howe Street home for the holiday season.

**JANUARY**  
**clearance**  
**SALE**  
STARTS FRIDAY  
**1/3-1/2 off**

**COCKTAIL DRESSES**  
Casual Silks and Wools  
**27 ONLY - LONG GOWNS**  
Sizes 9 to 16.  
**16 ONLY - WINTER COATS**  
Fur-trimmed.  
**HALF-SIZE DRESSES**  
A wide selection in dressy and tailored styles.

SPECIAL RACK OF DRESSES  
UP TO  $\frac{1}{2}$  OFF.  
SALE PRICE ----- \$15.00

View Street Carpark Tickets Validated

*Mary Constance*

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### Home for Christmas

PO Kim McGowan, RCAF, and Mrs. McGowan with young son, Kirk, have arrived from Edmonton to spend Christmas and New Year's with their parents, Group Capt. and Mrs. E. A. McGowan, Irving Street, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Howard Forrest, Cedar Hill Road.

### Open House Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Crighton, Prospect Lake, will hold a holiday open house for their friends next Saturday afternoon.

### From Los Angeles

Mr. and Mrs. John Bevan and small daughter, Erin, have come from Los Angeles to spend the holidays here. They are staying at Crystal Court.

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## Celebrates 90th Year

Mr. A. Lecours, who is 90 years old, came to Victoria to celebrate his birthday with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tomeczak, 1733 Taylor Street.

His sons, Ernest Lecours, MLA for Delta, and Mr. Arthur Lecours, Victoria, were also present for the celebration.



May the light of love and friendship lead you on through the Holiday Season to many years of happiness and joy.

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The Gutemar family who have been living in Canada some years now still carry out holiday traditions of their homeland, Sweden. Mrs. Sven Gutemar, 2852 Inez Drive, teaches daughters, Rita, left, and Gunnell how to make Lussekatter, Christmas pastries. Today will be special for Gunnell as she will be celebrating her eighth birthday.—(Robin Clarke)

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## Russian Winter Described By Mrs. Pauline Barrett

At the annual Christmas party at the Faculty Lounge of the Gordon Head Campus one of the speakers was Peter Mannerling, director of the Victoria Theatre Studio, who gave readings from the works of Charles Dickens. Mr. Mannerling wore nineteenth century costume.

The second speaker, Mrs. R. D. Barrett, described winter festivities in Moscow, where she and her husband, a naval attaché, spent some time.

The Russians love winter and usher in the festive sea-

son with a great parade in Red Square. All traffic is stopped in the centre of the city of Moscow, buildings are illuminated with red lights, and people stroll about for the better part of the night. The general effect is one of merriment and excitement.

Mrs. Barrett said that individually, the people entertain with their limited resources: housing is overcrowded and there are not too many luxuries but as the Russians themselves say: "Every Russian home has three things: proverbs, vodka, and hospitality." Mrs. Barrett also de-

scribed Christmas at the Canadian Embassy with traditional home fare, and at the American Embassy.

Mrs. H. R. Turner introduced Mr. Mannerling and Mrs. J. W. McCommon thanked him. Mrs. McCommon also introduced Mrs. Barrett who was thanked by Mrs. J. L. Andrews, president.

Carol singing was led by Mrs. T. H. Johns. Piano accompaniment by Mrs. J. E. Harvey.

Mrs. R. A. Fraser, first vice-president, introduced two new members: Mrs. H. C. Farr and Miss Joan Hunt.

Price of Eggs  
Drops Again

Price of eggs dropped three cents a dozen in Victoria Monday. It was the third consecutive weekly drop in prices, totalling eight cents a dozen. A glut of fakers is held directly responsible for the new egg-price decline.

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Boneless, some with zipper front. Reg. \$10.95 to \$21.50. \$7<sup>95</sup> to \$14<sup>95</sup>  
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### Memo Corselette Boned Front Zipper

For the heavier figure. Sizes 36 to 44. Regular \$16.50. \$12<sup>50</sup>  
SALE

### Girdles and Pantie Girdles

Many styles to choose from. S, M, L and XL. Reg. \$4.95 to \$16.50. \$2<sup>95</sup> to \$10<sup>95</sup>  
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### Longline Bra for the Heavier Figure

Some with felt shoulder straps. Sizes 34 to 48. Reg. \$2.95 to \$10.95. \$1<sup>50</sup> to \$4<sup>95</sup>  
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Lycra and Nylon taffeta, with boned front, average and short figure. Sizes 34 to 40. SALE PRICE \$11<sup>95</sup>

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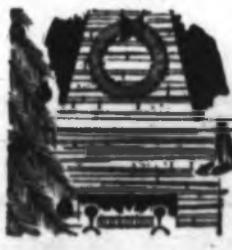
### Sailors

The first social affair to be held in Canada in three years for Riflemen, Corporals and wives of the 1st Battalion, The Queen's Own Rifles of Canada will be a New Year's Eve dance on Dec. 31.

To be held in the gymnasium at Work Point Barracks, an open invitation has been extended to couples of HMCS Naden and HMC Dockyard.

It is hoped that this will be the first of many such invitations intended to establish a closer social relationship between the soldiers and sailors in Victoria.

## Best Wishes for the Holidays



We sincerely hope that your Christmas is a merry one, and that the coming year will be filled with every spiritual and material blessing.

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Examine the detail and finish, the quality fabrics and styling and then you will fully realize their original value. Styled in superfine coatings of wool and mohair, in a variety of textures. A beautiful selection of shades, including staples such as black and brown. 8 to 42.

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The group comprises both trimmed and untrimmed in a splendid assortment of styles.

Such furs as mink and muskrat that top quality coatings in a range of very wearable coats that should give years of comfort and satisfaction.

Sizes 8 to 20.

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\$58

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All well styled from fine wool coatings in assorted shades, warmly lined and interlined for added warmth. Sizes 10 to 18.

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## Party for One Hundred

United Commercial Travel Hall was decorated with a large tree and held their annual children's Christmas tree. Entertainment at the Christmas party at St. Albans was offered by The Great Magician Au Foo You, Cardy and their parents attending. The presents were given to each



**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

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### Tailor Now 111

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Adam Ozella, who has outlined all but five of his 19 children, was 111 years old Monday. Ozella, born in Lithuania in 1852, came to Philadelphia in 1940. He has operated a tailor shop here. He has 18 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

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To All Our CUSTOMERS,  
FRIENDS and RELATIVES  
PRIESTLEY'S  
QUALITY CANDY  
Kitty and Lee

"That they all may be  
one." John 17:21



**SEASONS  
GREETINGS**  
TO ALL OUR  
MEMBERS,  
SUPPORTERS  
AND FRIENDS



Rev. and Mrs. C.R. Barner, 3791 Savannah Avenue, announces the forthcoming marriage of their only daughter, Miriam Anne, to Mr. Ronald Cyril Tomlinson, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Tomlinson, 2604 Richmond Road. The wedding will take place on Friday, Dec. 27, at 8 p.m. in Douglas Street Baptist Church, with Rev. Barner officiating, assisted by Rev. J.D. Watson of Stevenson Memorial Baptist Church.—(Photo of Mr. Tomlinson by Leonard Holmes Studio)

### Kettles Pay

MONTREAL (CP) — Mrs. Bertha Crowley of the Salvation Army has been standing in front of the same downtown department store for the last 20 Christmas seasons, accepting contributions. She says the average amount dropped daily into her Christmas kettles ranges between \$800 and \$1,000.

## Starts Friday — 9 a.m. Ingledew's **CLEARANCE SALE** **WOMEN'S SHOES**

Hundreds of pairs of fresh, new Fall and Winter shoes have been brought over from Vancouver to supplement the stock on sale in our Victoria store — giving you the greatest selection of top quality women's shoes we have ever offered for sale . . .

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### Mountainous Menu

#### Tempted Rifle Club

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — If you think today's dinners are large, consider the menu of the fourth annual dinner of the St. John's Rifle Club in 1963: soup, codfish, local lamb, boiled tongue, roast turkey, boiled ham, boiled chicken, potatoes, cabbage, rice, peas, apple pie, trifle, fruit and cream, jelly, cake, pastry, milk, tea, coffee and brandy.

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# TV TALK

## Wednesday's Highlights

10:00 a.m.—Christmas messages from Queen Elizabeth and Prime Minister Pearson—2, 6.

10:00—Episcopal church service from Washington, D.C.—5.

11:00—Visit to Disneyland—2.

1:00 p.m.—Dramatization of the story of the Nativity—2.

2:00—Journey to the Centre, a documentary showing places in the Holy Land associated with the life of Christ—2.

3:00—Repeat of the Quillow and the Giant fantasy for children—8.

6:00—Christmas messages from Lieutenant-Governor George Pearkes and Premier W. A. C. Bennett—2.

6:30—Christmas in the Holy Land, a documentary with Art Linkletter—4.

7:30—Special 30-minute version of Pinocchio—2.

8:30—Show from Two Cities, variety—2, 6.

9:00—NBC Opera presents Amahl and the Night Visitors—5.

9:30—Festival presents the Russian comedy, Diary of a Scoundrel—2, 6.

## Wednesday's Movies

1:00 p.m.—Holiday Inn (1942 musical), Bing Crosby

—6, 8.

2:00—Oh, My Papa (German, 1959 drama), Romy Schneider—11.

3:30—Capt. Horatio Hornblower (1951 adventure), Gregory Peck—5.

5:30—Happy Go' Lovely (1951 musical), David Niven—12.

10:00—Oh, My Papa (see 2 p.m.)—11.

\* 11:00—Red River (1948 western), John Wayne—12.

11:30—Little Kidnappers (1954 drama), Duncan Macrae—4.

## Thursday's Highlights

7:30 p.m.—Jack Benny plays his violin on his year-end show—6.

9:00—Review of 1963 in sports—12.

## Thursday's Movies

9:30 a.m.—Mother is a Freshman (1949 comedy), Loretta Young—4.

12:30 p.m.—Anne of Green Gables (1934 drama), Anne Shirley—2.

1:00—Adventures of Mark Twain (1944), Fredric March—6, 8.

2:00—King of the Wild Horses (1947 western), Preston Foster—11.

3:30—Far Horizons (1935 adventure, part 1), Charlton Heston—5.

5:30—Naughty Nineties (1945 comedy), Abbott and Costello—12.

7:00—Gulliver's Travels (1939 cartoon feature)—11.

10:30—Fire Maidens of Outer Space (1958), Anthony Dexter—11.

\* 11:00—Phiff! (1954 comedy), Judy Holiday—12.

\* 11:30—Romeo and Juliet (1954), Laurence Harvey—4.

11:35—Miranda (1948 comedy), Glynis Johns—2.

## Friday's Highlights

9:30 p.m.—escope presents Pee Wee Russell, Wild Bill Davison, Willie "The Lion" Smith and Eddie Condon in a jazz special, Nicer Than Paradise—2, 6.

10:00—Boxing, welterweights Skeeter McClure and Luis Rodriguez—4.

## Friday's Movies

9:30 a.m.—Go, Man, Go (1953 story of the Harlem Globetrotters), Dane Clark—4.

\* 12:00—In Which We Serve (1942 drama), Noel Coward—2.

1:00 p.m.—Little Miss Marker (1934 drama), Shirley Temple—6, 8.

2:00—Holy Terror (1937 comedy), Jane Withers—11.

3:30—Far Horizons (part 2, see Thursday, 3:30)—

5:30—Arizona Mission (1956 western), James Arness—12.

10:40—Return of October (1948 comedy), Glenn Ford—11.

11:00—Beyond Mombasa (1956 adventure), Cornel Wilde—12.

11:30—Her 12 Men (1954) Greer Garson—4.

\* 11:35—Man of the West (1958 western), Gary Cooper—2.

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Time	CBS-TV Channel 2	KOMO-TV Channel 4	KING-TV Channel 5	KIRO-TV Channel 8	CHAN-TV Channel 9	KNTV-TV Channel 11	KVOS-TV Channel 12	Channel 13	Time		
4:30	French Caravan	Telephones Say When	Patches Don Riley	Keene's Corner Keene's Corner	Queens Message Queen's Message	December Bride December Bride	New Cartoons	Cartoons	1:30		
5:30	Jack Lalanne Movie	Say When Word for Word	Keene's Corner Keene's Corner	Queen's Message Queen's Message	Real McCoys Real McCoys	Divorce Court Divorce Court	New Cartoons	Cartoons	1:30		
6:00	Queen's Message Helene, Nursery	First Impression Fruit or Coming	Queen's Message Queen's Message	Uncle Bob Uncle Bob	Star Shall Rise Love of Life	Romper Room Romper Room	News	News	1:30		
6:30	British Comedy Show	Queen's Right Seven Keys	Church Services Church Services	Uncle Bob Uncle Bob	First Light Christmas	Romper Room Romper Room	News	News	1:30		
7:00	Carols Game Farm Nativity	Christmas Card Little Young Girl	Christmas Card Christmas Card	Uncle Bob Uncle Bob	Divorce Court Divorce Court	Romper Room Romper Room	News	News	1:30		
7:30	Song Sing Song	Take 30 Giant, Rogers	Christmas Card Christmas Card	Uncle Bob Uncle Bob	House Party House Party	Romper Room Romper Room	News	News	1:30		
8:00	Entire Journey Come Journey Take 30 Giant, Rogers	People Are Funny Room for Daddy King Queen Movie	December Bride Edge of Night Secret Storm Bachelor Father	Uncle Bob Uncle Bob	House Party House Party	Romper Room Romper Room	News	News	1:30		
8:30	Take Journey Come Journey Take 30 Giant, Rogers	People Are Funny Room for Daddy King Queen Movie	To Tell Truth Edge of Night Secret Storm Bachelor Father	Uncle Bob Uncle Bob	House Party House Party	Romper Room Romper Room	News	News	1:30		
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5:00	Take Journey Come Journey Take 30 Giant, Rogers	People Are Funny Room for Daddy King Queen Movie	To Tell Truth Edge of Night Secret Storm Bachelor Father	Uncle Bob Uncle Bob	House Party House Party	Romper Room Romper Room	News	News	1:30		
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Newspaper Advertising

Stimulates Buying

## Interrupted Thieves Take Small Change

A policeman on patrol duty Capital City Bowldrome, 916 found the washroom window Yates, early Tuesday morning, and side door open on the

## Bridge Collapse Recalled

Collapse of the Second Narrows Bridge in 1958 yesterday cost B.C. a further \$110,000 over the completed cost.

The money will go to John Laing and Son (Canada) Ltd., the contractor for the span's concrete deck.

A cabinet order approving the expenditure was filed yesterday.

The company was seeking \$130,000 extra pay to compensate for additional costs brought about by construction delays following the accident.

An arbitration board headed by former Supreme Court Judge J. M. Candy fixed the amount of compensation.

## ARENA

FRIDAY

SKATING

2:30 p.m.—PUBLIC

NEW YEAR'S EVE SUPPER DANCE

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Dancing 9:30 p.m. on Supper 12:30 a.m.

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LATE DATE

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Thurs., Dec. 26

9:30 to 11:30 p.m.

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Who will be his Bride

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1:25, 4:00, 6:30, 9:00

(See Christmas Day Times Above)

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Feature at 1:30 - 3:30 - 5:30 - 7:30 - 9:30

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FEATURE AT 3:10

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DOORS BOXING DAY

1:00 P.M. and Following Days

FEATURE AT 1:10

3:10 - 5:10 - 7:10 - 9:17

## Support Wonderful

## TB Seal Sale Heads for Record

Sale of TB Christmas seals campaign," Mrs. Kimmitt said, out 27,000 letters of appeal at the start of the campaign. "The support for the sale of the seals has been wonderful."

Last year the campaign collected \$25,112. Total this year to date is \$23,295.

The campaign is continuing until the end of January.

Anyone who has not received

a letter of appeal is asked to

get in touch with campaign

headquarters at 1902 Fort

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Sweden's gainfully employed

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## TODAY - A BIG HAPPY HOLIDAY HIT!

Here comes Jack Lemmon

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COLUMBIA PICTURES presents

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## Fine Furs—33% Off

**4 China Mink stoles** (dyed). Rich brown. Reg. \$279. Sale **\$189**

**4 Persian Paw coats** (dyed), with black mink collar (dyed). Full length. Reg. \$399. Sale **\$299**

**4 Trotter length muskrat back coats** (dyed). Black Diamond, Havana brown. Reg. \$399. Sale **\$299**

**Canadian mink stole** (natural). Ranch mink shade. Reg. \$299. Sale **\$199**

**Kolinsky cape stoles** (dyed). Rich brown. 1 only. Reg. \$259. Sale **\$169** The BAY, furs, 2nd

## Lingerie—25% to 50% Off

**Nylon tricot slips** White and colors. Lace-trimmed hem, bodice. 32 42. Reg. 3.98 and 4.98. Sale **2.66 and 3.32**

**Nylon half slips** White nylon tricot. Lace trim hem. S.M.L. (short, average and tall, coll.) Reg. 3.98. Sale **2.66**

**Bouffant crinolines** Nylon and cotton. White and pastels. S.M.L. Reg. 3.98 and 4.98. Sale **2.66 and 3.32**

**Lily shifts and cotton dusters** Gold and green print. Rayon. Lily shift has matching pants. Button front collars. S.M.L. Reg. 3.98 and 4.98. Sale **2.66 and 3.32**

**Dusters**, reg. 4.98. The BAY, lingerie, 2nd

## Foundation Garments

### 25% to 40% Off

**Basque brassieres** White cotton, broken sizes. Reg. 6.98. Sale **4.99**

**Girdles and panty girdles** White Lycra Leno. Pull on. Broken sizes. Reg. 4.99. Sale **2.99**

**Brassieres** Assorted styles and materials. Broken sizes. Reg. 3.98 and 4.98. Sale **2.99**

The BAY, foundations, 2nd

## Budget Store Clearance

**Women's knit suits** Double knits in brown, red, grey, green and charcoal. 2-pce. 8-18. Reg. 18.87. Sale **11.99**

**Millinery** Assorted colors in feather bands, whimsies, cloches. Reg. 1.88 to 3.87. Sale **.94 to 1.94**

**Girls' jackets** Laminates and quilted nylons. Zip front. 3/4x. 15 only. Reg. 6.87 and 7.87. Sale **4.99**

**Girls' Coordinates** Vest tops and pleated skirts. Wool. Sizes 3 to 6x. 23 only. Reg. 4.87. Sale **2.99**

**Girls' Jumpers and Dresses** Printed cotton dresses, plaid wool jumpers. 7 to 14. Reg. 3.87 and 4.87. Sale **2.88**

**Women's wool dresses** Brown, grey, red, royal, charcoal. Wool. Three-quarter sleeve sheaths. Sizes 10 to 18. 120 only. Reg. 8.87. Sale **5.99**

**41 Men's topcoats** Wool laminates. Darker, assorted colors. 38-46. Reg. 24.87 and 29.87. Sale **16.99**

The BAY, Budget Store, 4th

## Children's Wear, Save up to 50%

**Sub-teen skirts** Tartan wool. 2 styles. 10-14x coll. Reg. 14.98. Sale **7.99**

**Sub-teen blouses** Assorted cotton blouses. 3 styles. 10-14x. Reg. 3.98. Sale **1.99**

**Sub-teen skirts** Blends and all wool. Assorted styles. 10-14x. Reg. 8.98 and 10.98. Sale **4.99 and 7.99**

**Sub-teen dresses** Nylons and cottons. Assorted styles. Reg. 6.98 and 12.98. Sale **4.99 and 5.99**

**Toddlers' and infants' dresses** Quality cottons. Broken assortment styles and colors. 1-3x. Reg. 2.99 to 5.98. Sale **1.99 and 2.99**

The BAY, children's wear, 3rd

## Major Appliances, 25% - 36%

**8-transistor radio** United Royal model. 5 only. Reg. 29.95. Sale **\$19**

**1 Delicraft record cabinet** Walnut finish and walnut veneer. Reg. 69.95. Sale **\$51**

**1-23" TV console** Walnut finish. 1963 GE 23" TV console. Reg. \$249. Sale **\$185**

**15 Bracis electric harmony chords** 21-note keyboard. 48 chords. Reg. \$117. Sale **\$85**

**1 GE built-in dishwasher** White. Front loading. Reg. 419.95. Sale **\$327**

**2 GE fridges with freezer** White. Swing-out shelves. Automatic defrost. Reg. 459.95. Sale **\$343**

The BAY, major appliances, 3rd

## 33 1/3% Off Notions

**Christmas flowers and novelties** Arrangements of holly, flowers, novelties. Lifelike vinyl plastic. Reg. 39c to 3.98. Sale **.94 off**

**Purses and wallets** Tote bags, mostly one of a kind. Ladies' styles. Reg. 39c to 1.99. Sale **.94 off**

**Carry all bags** Discontinued styles and colors. Broken assortment. Reg. 1.49 to 3.98. Sale **.94 off**

**35 only, baskets** Assorted styles and types. Picnic and flower baskets in wicker. Reg. 1.98 to 4.50. Sale **.94 off**

The BAY, notions, main

## Campus Shop—42% to 59% Off

**Young Men's Dress Pants** Fancy patterned slacks, wool worsted and corduroys in continental styles. 29 to 34 coll. 21 only, reg. 10.95, 11.30 to 16.98. Sale, pair **6.99**

**Young Men's Casual Slacks** Assorted fancy and plains in synthetic blends, some cotton sheer, some wools include hipsters, twisters, continentals. 29 to 28 coll. 26 pairs only, reg. 7.99, 8.95, 6.95. Sale, pair **3.99**

**Young Men's Collarless Blazers, Half Price** Black, white, hounds-tooth check. Sizes 34 to 42, reg. 19.95. Sale **9.47**

The BAY, Campus Shop, main

## Dress Goods—25% to 60% Off

**36" metallic lace** Blue, rose, green, magenta. Nylon. Reg. 1.98 yard. Sale, yard **77c**

**36" Jacquard weaves** Teal, gold, grey, green. Rayon. Stripes and all-over patterns. Reg. 1.98 yard. Sale **1.49**

**36" to 42" brocades** Brown, pink, green, aqua. 45 yards. Reg. 3.98. Sale **1.99**

**36" cotton novelty prints** White ground. Kiddies' patterns. Reg. 89c yard. Sale, yard **50c**

**34" rayon flannel** Crease-resistant, washable. Taupe. 30 yards. Reg. 1.98. Sale, yard **1.47**

The BAY, dress goods, 2nd

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**Games** Ludo, Parcheesi, Baseball, Bridge It, etc. 100 only, reg. 29c to 2.98. Sale **.92 to 1.92**

**Hawaiian Lights** Glass-enclosed candles, white only. 60 only, reg. 89c. Sale, each **59c**

**Scots Dolls** Authentic costumes, made in Britain. Includes Piper, Beefeater, etc. 75 in all, reg. 1.50 to 1.95. Sale, each **.51 to 1.25**

**Stationery Oddments** Shelf paper, envelopes, confetti, books, etc. 100 in all. Reg. 9c to 3.99. Sale, each **.51 to 1.25**

The BAY, stationery, main

## Hardware, 25% to 33 1/3% Off

**Resident lock set** 10 only, reg. 10.25. Sale **7.70**

**Weather stripping** Reg. 18c to 3.75 set. Sale, **.51 off**

**Swedish saw frame** 9 only, reg. 4.35. Sale **3.00**

**Black & Decker saw attachments** 8 only. Reg. 20.15. Sale **13.40**

**Black & Decker drills** 1/2" utility drills. 3 only. Reg. 61.59. Sale **46.10**

**Children's carpenter sets** 2, reg. 17.95. Sale **12.40**

**1, reg. 11.95. Sale .99** 1, reg. 7.95. Sale **5.99**

**Screwdrivers** Plastic handles, heavy duty. Reg. 22.9. Sale **1.40**

**Link soldering kits** 12 only, reg. 19.95. Sale **14.99**

**Shopmate soldering guns** 100-watt, reg. 12.95. Sale **9.69** 125-watt, reg. 13.95. Sale **10.50**

**Speedy shelf hangers** Set of two. Hold boards up to 12" wide. Reg. 98c. Sale **49c**

**1/4" drill** B. and D. de luxe utility  $\frac{1}{4}$ " drill. 3 only. Reg. 33.50. Sale **26.60**

**Snaps chains** 20 only, reg. 2.40. Sale **1.79**

**Vise-grip pliers** Reg. 2.19. Sale **1.65**

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## 1/3 Off Chinaware

**Modern Norwegian pottery** Silk screened by hand in beige and light yellow. Contemporary designs. 6 vases, reg. 2.95. Sale **1.99** 1, vases, reg. 3.75. Sale **2.49**

**3 vases**, reg. 4.50. Sale **2.99** 3 bowls, reg. 3.95. Sale **2.63**

**5 dishes**, reg. 2.50. Sale **1.66** 3 dishes, reg. 3.50. Sale **2.33**

**Moorcroft pottery** Famous floral designs. Flambe, blue, white and green. 4 vases, reg. 9.75. Sale **6.49**

**20 vases**, reg. 11.95. Sale **7.96** 6 bowls, reg. 8.50. Sale **5.99** 3 bowls, reg. 13.95. Sale **9.29**

**Italian pottery servers** Decorative fruit pattern. 30 divided dishes, reg. 1.50. Sale **.99** 7 divided dishes, reg. 2.50. Sale **1.66** 5 cheese dishes, reg. 3.95. Sale **2.63**

## English Bone China Tableware

**Cups and saucers**, 6 only, reg. **\$5**. Sale **3.33**

**Creams and sugars**, 20 only, reg. **4.50**. Sale **2.99**

**Aynsley dinner plates**, fruit pattern. 12 only, reg. **11.50**. Sale **7.67**

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Started Gloomily

# 1963 Best Year Yet For Socred Regime

By TERRY HAMMOND  
Colonist Legislative Reporter

For B.C.'s Social Credit government 1963 could easily have been a black year.

It started with adversity for the government with the New Democratic Party's sensational tabling in the House of affidavits alleging large-scale graft in the highways department.

The accusing finger was house in the Victoria courthouse. Its 13 members bickered incessantly, accused each other of playing politics, fought over procedure and finally split into two groups to bring in independent reports.

Both groups found the graft charges unfounded. The government faction praised the highway department administration and the other group called for a full and complete investigation.

Through six long weeks of stricter adherence to proper procedure in handling contracts investigation played to a full and satisfactory conclusion.

## Gaglardi Exonerated

Gaglardi and his staff were exonerated from wrongdoing in the investigation and the manner in which it was conducted reflected no credit on anybody.

Aside from the highways probe which sprang out of it, the 1963 session of the legislature was a when the long-awaited judgment on the B.C. Electric expropriation came down.

The government adopted its McDonald report on higher education and brought in legislation creating three new universities and against the government. Not only did he hold the expropriation to be illegal, he ruled that B.C. Hydro

politically speaking the government emerged from the did not legally exist.

## Election Remote

In the confusion that existed enough ground to launch following the handing down successful campaign in 1964. of the Lett judgment the likelihood of a provincial election a settlement of the B.C. Election impasse got underway.

Premier Bennett went quietly to England, ostensibly to study problems of trade.

He also took one of his family second looks at the election situation.

By calling a snap election he would catch the opposition parties off base and get to the people before Fulton could start chipping away at Social Credit's parcel of one-time Tory voters.

He could also strengthen his position by being the umbrella project negotiations by government could regain getting a fresh mandate.

## Decided to 'Go'

Against the advice of some with "if we are the next government our closest advisers he determined." In 1963 his words elided that all the indicators were, "When we form the government after Sept. 30 . . ."

He set the date for Sept. 30. Fulton was confident of personal victory over Highways and among many of the So. Columbia faithful the outlook was gloomy. In his own entourage and he felt sure of other seats were those who felt the best as well.

the government would do. But when the smoke of battle was to drop a seat or two cleared, Social Credit had and get in with a reduced majority.

The NDP was more hopeful. The NDP had unaccountably than ever before. For the first time Opposition Leader Robert failed to gain a single foothold.

Strachan stopped pressuring him. The gloom was gone over statements on party policy night.

## Break in Stalemate

With the new mandate for '63, Bennett is about to be vindicated at the bargaining table.

All but a few die-hard holdouts on the Columbia now endorse the controversial stand he took when he insisted B.C.'s downstream entitlement must be sold in the U.S. to pay for the Canadian dams.

Looking back, 1963 may have been the best year Social Credit ever had.

Vindicated at the polls Sept.

## Award Rejected

# Shipyard Workers Seek Strike Vote

Shipyard workers in Victoria and Vancouver have asked the B.C. labor minister to take a strike vote, a union official said last night.

He said that at meeting in both cities yesterday workers at Burrard Dry Dock, Yarrow and Victoria Machinery Depot voted by 85 to 80 per cent to reject a unanimous conciliation board award in the negotiations between 22 unions and the three shipyards.

## REPORTED VOTE

He said that when the vote was known the unions immediately wrote Labor Minister Leslie Peterson informing him of the vote and asking for a government-supervised strike vote.

He said the result was "generally a protest vote."

## CONTRACT TOO LONG

Among the many objections of union members to the conciliation board award, he said, was that it called for a three-year contract while they felt it should be for a shorter time.

He said the members also apparently felt there was inadequate

## THREE-PHASE BOOM

The conciliation board award called for a three-phase wage increase. Journeyman were to get 10 cents an hour in the first year, eight cents in the second and 10 cents in the third.

Classifications below journeyman would get increases of seven, five and seven cents an hour.

## 24 Negroes Face Drug Charges

IPSWICH, England (Reuters) — Twenty-four Negro airmen at Bentwaters United States Air Force base near here will face charges early in the New Year either of possessing or using marijuana, it was announced.

Base commander Col. H. G. Alexander said six would be court-martialed in public in mid-January while 18 would appear in private before a board composed of three officers.

Edward Brooks, no fixed address, remanded for probation report after admitting stealing a bag of clothes from Gibson's

Daily Colonist, Victoria  
34 Wednesday, Dec. 25, 1963

## Names in the News



Premier Papandreu

## Prisoners Get Foul

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The 10 inmates in Victoria city police jail and the three prisoners in the new Saanich police station can at least look forward to a change of pace in the bill of fare for Christmas Day.

All will be served a full Christmas dinner with turkey and the complete treatment to keep them warm inside while they are outside.

One thing will be missing from the dinner table however: Any toasts proposed will have to be done with coffee or water.

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## Concrete Flood Kills Three

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuters) — A torrent of liquid concrete 300 feet below ground level Saturday killed three workers and injured four at a divorce was pending in his Sydney.

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## The Gifts of Christmas



### Gift of the Christ

By JOHN J. STEWART

Last of a Series

After they had partaken of the last supper, Jesus led the 11 faithful apostles out into the night, down through the valley of Cedron, and on to a favorite retreat, the Garden of Gethsemane on the Mount of Olives.

For three years Jesus of Nazareth had devoted His time and energy to the multitudes—to the sick and the poor, to the sinner and the sorrowing; healing, comforting, guiding, forgiving, teaching the words of eternal life, setting the perfect example, that men might live on a higher and nobler plane.

Now, in keeping with the will of the Father, Jesus was ready to give His greatest gift of all: the gift of His own mortal life as an atoning sacrifice for the sins of mankind, thus meeting the demand of eternal justice.

"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends."

But facing such a horrendous mission as this was not easy, even for the Christ. And in the Garden of Gethsemane Jesus, suffering great anguish of soul, prayed, "Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from Me." But in majestic devotion and selflessness He concluded, "Not My will, but Thine, be done."

And so Jesus, having power over life and death, humbly submitted to betrayal, false arrest, to extreme abuse and indignities, to the excruciating pain of scourging, and finally even to death by crucifixion. He descended below all things that He might rise above all things.

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So great was His charity that as He languished upon the cross, Jesus looked down upon the barbaric soldiers who had driven the spikes through His hands and wrists, His feet and ankles, and He pleaded, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."

There upon the bleak hill of Calvary, Jesus, the Lamb of God, gave unto mankind the supreme gift of His own life, and for all men the possibility of eternal life.

"I am the resurrection, and the life; he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die."

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### Kennedy Assassinated

# 1963 Crammed with Excitement

#### By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Here is a chronological review of the events of 1963:

#### JANUARY

1—Gen. Lauris Norstad, retiring NATO commander, tells Ottawa press conference Canada is committed to acceptance of nuclear weapons for NATO army and air units.

14—De Gaulle rebuffs U.K. entry into Common Market.

18—Tahome gives up Katanga secessionist struggle against UN in the Congo in return for general amnesty.

23—Diefenbaker tells Commons Canada has been nego-

tating for U.S. nuclear warheads to be available if needed. Federal Public Works Minister Davie Fulton chides B.C. Conservative leader at Vancouver.

20—Common Market members at Brussels suspend negotiations on Britain's bid for entry.

20—Statement by U.S. state department says Canadian government has not yet proposed any arrangement for arming Canadian forces with nuclear weapons that would contribute effectively to defence.

21—Speakers of all parties in Commons term U.S. state department statement unwarranted intrusion in Canadian affairs. Queen and Prince

Philip flying from Britain to Australia forced to turn back to Vancouver from 900 miles out in Pacific.

#### FEBRUARY

1—State Secretary Dean Rusk at Washington expresses regret if department's statement offended Canadians but insists it was accurate. Queen and Prince Philip fly from Vancouver to Honolulu and Fiji. Nyasaland becomes self-governing after 65 years of British rule.

4—Defence Minister Harkness resigns, says his views on acquisition of nuclear weapons for Canadian forces "irreconcilable" with those of Prime Minister Diefenbaker.

5—Government defeated twice on non-confidence mo-

tions in Commons, vote on each 140 to 109.

6—Rebels seize control of Iraq in military coup. Dictator Premier Karim Kassen slain.

9—Trade Minister Hees, Acting Defence Minister Seizing resign from Diefenbaker cabinet. Canadian figure skating titles at Edmonton won by Don McPherson, 17, Stratford, Ont., and Wendy Grimes, 18, Toronto.

11—Three striking wood workers killed in fight with independent bush cutters at Kapuskasing, Ont.

14—Harold Wilson elected leader of British Labor party.

16—Mayor Willy Brandt and Socialist party win landslide victory in West Berlin munici-

pal election. Don McPherson wins men's North American figure skating title at Vancouver.

18—Justice Minister Fleming announces he is retiring from public life for personal reasons.

#### MARCH

2—Don McPherson wins men's world figure skating title at Cortina, Italy. Sjouke Dijkstra, 22, of Holland, retains women's title.

8—Ernie Richardson's Saskatchewan rink wins Canadian curling title at Brandon, Man.

9—Withdrawal of Soviet troops from Cuba begins.

13—Canada wins world curling title at Perth, Scotland; Ernie Richardson skips winning rink.

17—Russia wins world hockey championship at Stockholm with Sweden second; Czechoslovakia third. Canada's Trail Smoke Eaters fourth.

25—Pilot Ralph Flores of San Bruno, Calif., and passenger Helen Klaben of Brooklyn, N.Y., found alive near wreckage of plane that crashed 50 days previously in northern British Columbia on flight from Whitehorse, Yukon, to Fort St. John, B.C. Miss Klaben, 21, had broken left arm, gangrene in toes; Flores suffering broken rib and frostbite.

30—Diefenbaker at St. Thomas, Ont., announces removal of last of tariff surcharges imposed in previous

June. Ayala wins Grand National steeplechase.

31—New York newspaper strike ends after 113 days. Guatemala's armed forces oust President Miguel Fuentes for alleged laxity against Communists.

#### APRIL

3—Soviet Lunik IV space probe passes near moon.

4—Liberals take 127 seats in Canadian federal election; Progressive Conservative 97; Social Credit 9; NDP 17; George Peck, Anne Bancroft win movie Oscars.

9—Sir Winston Churchill made honorary U.S. citizen by presidential proclamation. Governor-General Vanier suffers mild heart attack.

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# Merry Christmas to All

## Bethlehem

### 10,000 REACH BIRTH PLACE

(CP from AP-Reuters)

JERUSALEM—A spring-like warmth caressed the hills of Palestine on Christmas Eve as thousands of pilgrims streamed across the armed Israel-Jordan frontier to celebrate Christmas on the holy ground where Christ was born.

About 10,000 worshippers assembled in manger square outside Bethlehem's Church of the Nativity, the oldest church in Christendom, for Christmas Eve services beneath the stars.

Christian pilgrims lined up before dawn to cross the frontier fortified with sand bags and barbed wire frontiers that divide the Holy Land between hostile Israel and Jordan.

TANK BARRIERS

They filed past the same dragon tooth tank barriers and sentry posts that Pope Paul will see next month on his pilgrimage to the Holy Land.

Nearly 6,000 tourists from around the world crowded into Jerusalem's hotels, monasteries and private homes for the majestic Christmas Eve procession to the 1,600-year-old Church of the Nativity built over the stable where Christ was born.

CHRISTIAN ARABS

Another 3,000 Christian Arabs from Israel swelled the ranks of the crowd on the only time of year they are allowed to cross the no-man's-land into the Holy ground that now is part of Jordan.

Only at Christmas do Israel and Jordan let Arab Christians cross to see their relatives and worship in places where Jesus lived and died.

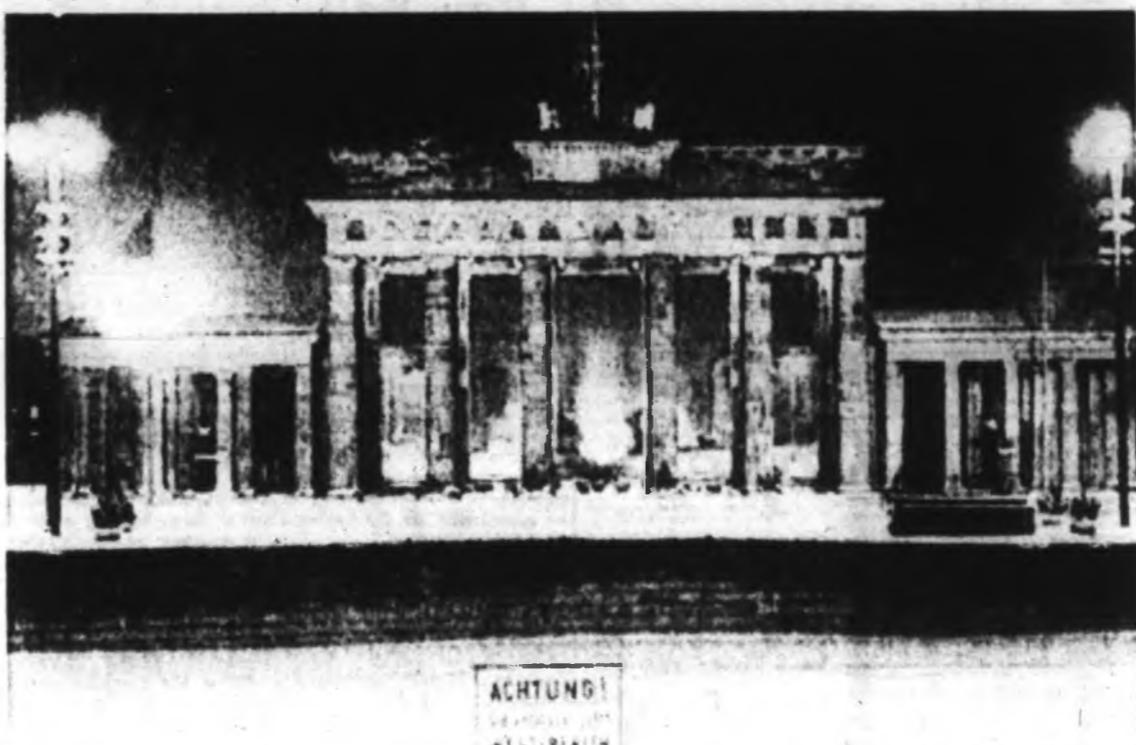
PAST RUINS

While Israeli and Arab troops watched from machine gun posts on the rooftops, the straggling line trudged past the ruins of war through the Mau-Mau Gate, a red and white

## Next Colonist On Saturday

Staff members of The Daily Colonist will observe Christmas Day and Boxing Day as holidays, and there will be no publication of this paper on Thursday or Friday mornings. Next issue will be Saturday.

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Christmas tree and Brandenburg Gate aglow: welcome to 'new' East Berlin.

## Berliners Reunited

# 'Christmas Miracle'

BERLIN (AP)—Mayor Willy Brandt said Tuesday night the happy reunion of West Berliners with their kinsmen in East Berlin was "a little piece of the Christmas miracle."

Sweeping aside criticism because he negotiated with the Communist East Germans for the holiday opening of the Berlin wall, Brandt said the visit showed Berliners remain one family despite their long separation.

The West Berlin mayor's Christmas message, broadcast

to the people of the divided old German capital, said the crack opened in the wall perhaps might become wider.

In some Western circles there was resentment that Brandt had gone too far in negotiating with the Communists and in allowing them to set up permit offices in West Berlin.

THE WALL

West Berliners placed Christmas candles in their windows in remembrance of the many German in divided city who still were kept apart on this Christmas Eve.

ABOUT 30,000 West Berliners so far have visited their relatives in East Berlin on one-day permits granted by the East Germans for the first time since the Red Wall went up 28 months ago.

GIFT-LADEN

By early evening more than 15,000 West Berliners, laden with gifts, had passed through the wall for Christmas reunions.

Thousands were excluded. They are refugees from the Communist state who fear reprisals, those who have incurred the political enmity of the Communist regime and those whose relatives live outside East Berlin.

The traffic was only one way. Armed sentries on the wall had orders to shoot at any East Germans trying to go to the free West.

THE WOMAN

The woman was treated at a hospital, then released.

## Raze the Berlin Wall

VATICAN CITY (AP)—On this Christmas Day, Pope Paul VI urged a divided world to negotiate tirelessly to avoid "the supreme catastrophe—the recourse to arms."

Implicit in his message at a midnight mass was an appeal for negotiations to bring down the Communist wall that separates Berlin.

The Roman Catholic ruler, beginning the first Christmas Day of his papacy, celebrated the mass in the Sistine Chapel for diplomats accredited to the Vatican. His predecessor, John XXIII, had started the Christmas Day in a similar manner.

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## Airborne Dog-Bite

VANCOUVER, Wash. (AP)—An automobile struck a dog which was running across a Vancouver highway, and sent it hurtling through the air.

The airborne dog struck Mrs. Delores Forward as she walked along the street, bit her several times on a leg, then ran off.

The woman was treated at a hospital, then released.

## Woman in Space

SAIPAN, (UPI)—Residents of this Pacific island were braced for a predicted Christmas day assault from Typhoon Susan.

## Survivors Go Ashore

CASABLANCA, Morocco (AP)—

Survivors from the ill-fated Greek liner Lakonia landed here early Christmas Day. (See Page 9.)

A total of 273 persons, including 158 passengers and 115 members of the Lakonia crew, went ashore from the British ship Montecarlo which had picked them up at the scene of the maritime tragedy.

Mercury Hits Record 59

Tuesday's maximum temperature of 59 degrees was a record for Dec. 24. Previous high for this date was 53, set in 1925. Tuesday's high is also a record high for the month of December, with previous high of 58.7, set Dec. 2, 1941. Records date from 1898.

Saipan Braces

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# Kidnap-Robbery Spurs Police Search

NANAIMO Two armed thugs are being sought by police in the \$3,000 kidnap-robbery of the Terminal Park Safeway store Friday night.

At 11 p.m. the robbers called at the room of the store manager, George Donaldson in a nearby hotel and forced him at gunpoint to walk in front of them to the store.

"One of them held the gun pointed at me and made me open the store door and the office door," Mr. Donaldson told the Colonist last night. "Then they made me open the safe."

While one covered Mr. Donaldson the other rifled the safe.

"They robbed him of his wallet, taped his wrists and ankles and locked him in the cooler,"

Before leaving they ripped out the telephone wires.

"I was able to free myself in about five minutes," Mr. Donaldson said, "and I immediately notified police."

The manager had made a night deposit earlier in the evening, otherwise the loss might have been greater.

Staff Sergeant Frank Slater, RCMP, said the robbery was a professional job and issued a description of the men. He requested anyone seeing them to get in touch with RCMP Nanaimo phone SK 42345.

One was six feet, 180 pounds, 20-25 years old with dark brown hair and a cut or scar on his right temple. Clean shaven, he wore a three-quarter navy blue topcoat and a black glove on his left hand. The other hand was smooth skinned.

The other was five-foot-nine or 10, 180 pounds, 20-25 years old with dark brown curly hair. Clean shaven, he wore a coat similar to the other. His hands were rough and cracked. He wore suede, rubber-soled shoes.

## Older Boys To Govern

The 33rd session of the Older Boys' Parliament, with representatives from seven religious denominations, will sit in the Legislative Buildings from Dec. 27 to 31.

Public sittings will be held starting at 8 p.m. Friday, 2 to 5 p.m. and 8 to 11 p.m. Saturday, 2 to 5 p.m. and 8 to 11 p.m. Monday and from 2 to 3 p.m. prorogation, Tuesday.

Victoria's representatives are Brian A. Smith, 17, Stephen Stark, 17, Roy Hamill, Bill Nelson, 16, Jack Miller, 17, and Steve Holmes, 16.

River threatened to flood, but they have since moved back.

Thatcher Road was washed out and seven families were marooned. The Harmac Road was flooded and workers had to detour but they all made it to work and production was not held up.

Highway 19 was inundated briefly in many places.

Early Monday a mudslide on the Franklin River Road cut off their water main from China Creek.

The town was never without water. An eight-inch auxiliary line was laid from a stream and water was pumped from one reservoir to another. A shuttle service by two water-carrying tanker trucks was used to keep a sawmill operating but several industries were closed.

**FORCED OUT**

In the Nanaimo area 12 families were forced to flee their homes when the Nanaimo

## Rains Hit Bridge, West Road

PORTREFREW Heavy rains which dumped eight inches of water on this area in a 24-hour period Sunday and Monday washed out Harris Cove bridge and several sections of Bear Creek Road.

The swollen San Juan River spilled over its banks at several places. Flooding fields with three to four feet of water before the river started to subside.

Two central spans of the 1,200-foot-long Harris Cove bridge were washed out to sea. Some Port Renfrew residents, stranded on the far side of the bridge about one mile south of here, had to spend the night with friends.

It was not known yesterday how long it will take to rebuild the 120-foot-wide missing part of the bridge.

It was also reported that several sections of Bear Creek Road from Shawinigan Lake to Port Renfrew were washed away near Shawinigan Lake.

## Landslide Kills Elderly Man

WHITE ROCK, B.C. (CP) — A landslide, caused by heavy rains that pounded the British Columbia lower mainland and Vancouver Island areas for two days, has taken the life of an elderly man.

Albert Berry, 81, was killed in his sleep Monday night when a tree toppled from a 150-foot bank above his cabin, smashing the building when it landed.

**Store Thief Quits At Last Moment**

A bold thief chickened out after loading a cardboard box with about 10 cartons of cigarettes and putting it in a shopping cart last at a Safeway store at Fort and Foul Bay Road Saturday.

He pushed the cart almost as far as the door, then ran out and jumped in his car, leaving \$130 worth of cigarettes.

**Firemen Rescue Man from Swamp**

A man who apparently wandered off course to do a good turn was rescued by Saanich firemen when he was found knee deep in mud in a swamp opposite Swan Lake near Kent Road Monday.

The man told firemen he was trying to tie down a bridge in the swamp so it wouldn't float away.

**A Very Merry Christmas**



**MAURICE**



**BARLEY**



**BRUCE**



**HUMBER BROTHERS**

## Old Hearth Warmed Yesterday's Yules

By BEA HAMILTON

Christmas started in an old-fashioned way in an old-fashioned age in Fulford Harbor many years ago — but then Christmas is old-fashioned.

And at Dromore, our Salt Spring Island home built on time we heard cricket chirruping on the hearth.

On the over-burdened mantle memories of childhood Christ

mas, the fireplace took up almost the whole end of what we very grandly called the drawing room.

### REAL HISTORY

A real history surrounds that

was Uncle George from the diplomatic service. Grandfather Archdeacon Hamilton of London, and great Uncle John Lawrence, Viceroy of India.

There were always masses of trailing plants and clematis and the old marble clock that never gave any time but eleven o'clock from the time I can remember.

Many a stocking was "hung by the chimney with care" and we children were sure that the huge chimney had been thoughtfully all was well with the

fully built to accommodate the hanging brass lamp with the round Father Christmas and dangling prisms casting shadows that brought Marley's Ghost into the room realistically, even though he never got stuck in to the clanking chains.

We shivered with delicious thrills and were properly horrified with old Scrooge and his mean streak.

We wept a tear for Tiny Tim, and loved the whole reading.

We sang Christmas carols and in the firelight there came into the room the meaning of the real Christmas and thoughts of the Holy Babe, with a hope for peace on earth, good will towards men which still lingers in the newer and more modern age at the new Dromore.

## Robber Takes \$177, Watch

Albert Anderson, 2623 Rock Bay, told police Saturday he was robbed of \$177 and his wrist watch after being struck from behind as he walked near Rock Bay Avenue near his home. He could give no description of his assailant.

## SANDS Funeral Chapels

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This photograph of old fireplace at Dromore, Hamilton homestead (replaced by newer house in 1950) at

## HUIIBER'S YEAR-END

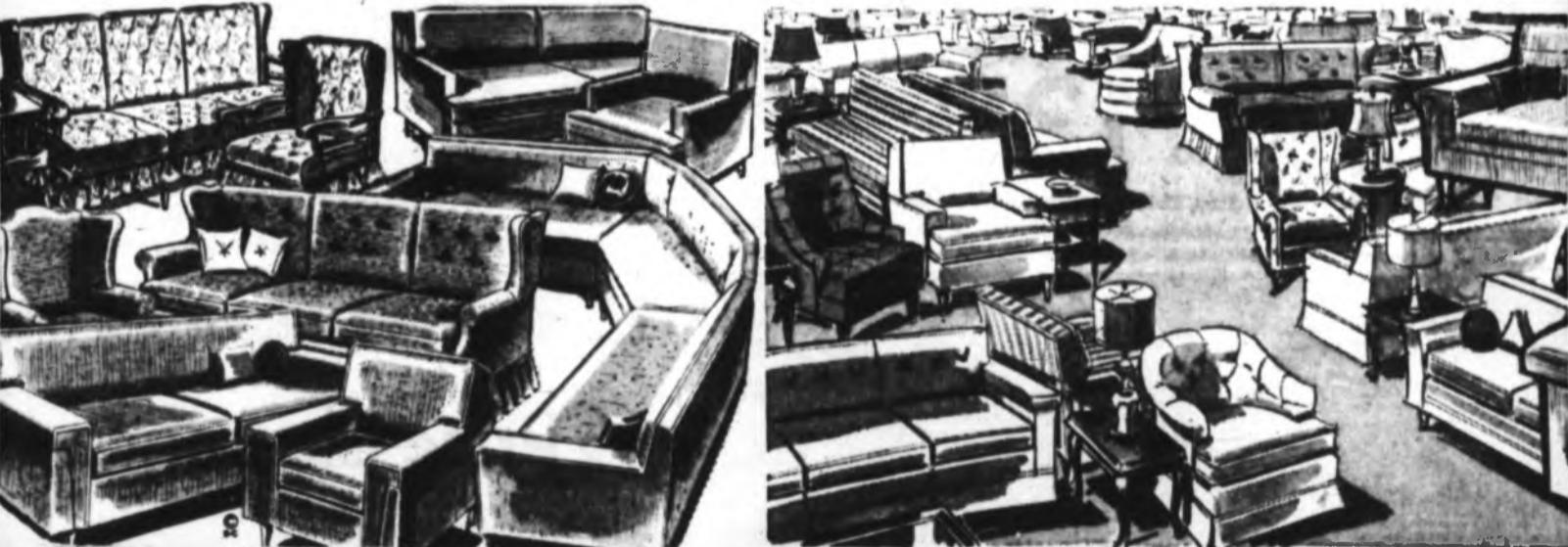
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**HUIIBER'S**

Hampers, Christmas Dinners

## Sally Ann's Busy Spreading Cheer

More than 300 Christmas hampers have been delivered to needy families in the Greater Victoria area this year.

A member of the Salvation Army said last night that each hamper, distributed with the help of the Victoria Motorcycle Club, contains either a turkey or a roast of beef and also includes all the other ingredients of a Christmas dinner.

Tonight 170 people are expected to sit down to Christmas dinner at two Salvation Army units in town. Christmas dinner is to be served at both the men's social department on Johnson Street and the army's centre for alcoholics, the Harbor Light.

A festive dinner will be served to some 150 elderly people at the Salvation Army Citadel Jan. 8.

Things Got Done in '63

## Victoria Forges Ahead

By IAN STREET

### Snowdrops Celebrate Christmas

Victoria's Christmas weather has been so balmy that at least one woman was out picking snowdrops yes-  
terday.

Mrs. Kathleen Wyseman, 917 Stafford, found two of the little white flowers in her yard and put them in a bouquet with jasmine and Christ-  
mas roses.

Snowdrops are the first heralds of spring.

Near Record

## Transport, Stores Taxed by Crowds

Holiday crowds kept Victoria stores and Vancouver Island-Mainland transportation systems busy right up to the last minute last night.

G. Conway Parrott, general to turn out to be close to an manager of Vancouver Island all-time record for passengers Coach Lines, said last night carried between the Island and that the line expects yesterday the mainland.

M. F. Aldous, general manager of the B.C. Toll Authority and Stanton Mooney, district sales manager for Trans-Canada Air Lines, reported normal heavy holiday traffic.

Mrs. Mooney said TCA's job has been made somewhat easier this year because the long holiday period spread holiday travel over a longer period of time.

Meanwhile, Victoria's three major department stores reported steady business right up to closing time last night.

Officials of two of the stores said yesterday's trade, however, was not as extremely heavy as Saturday and Monday.

"Monday was fantastic," said one.



### CITY HALL COMMENT

Groundwork has also been laid for changes that are bound to have a far-reaching effect on the future growth of the city.

This has been a year for getting things done: the \$2,000,000 Centennial Square project is well on its way with the first major construction phases already started; the intermunicipal Juvenile detention home was completed; long-awaited downtown tree planting program was launched.

It was the year that the city became serious about smoke abatement and began the sys-

tematic keeping of records to assist downtown paint-up and that will help whip the problem development and rehabilitation in the next few years. And the metro health authorities got interested in smoke as a health hazard.

Traffic, a perennial headache in Victoria, made some big advances with the removal of the roundabout and installation of electronically controlled signals at the new intersection.

Rose Street extension, completed at a cost of only an additional \$100,000 falls a good deal short of the need for a second main entrance to the city, but it works. This is shown by the 10,000 cars a day that use it.

This is far below the \$27,000 surplus on 1962 operations, but excellent nevertheless when considering that Victoria alone of the local municipalities held the tax line this year. The city also paid off \$700,000 of its debenture indebtedness in 1963.

City building was down from year to year. But it looks promising.

### Joint Court

With a shove from the provincial government, the area got a joint police court. When the Saanich location proved inconvenient to authorities and public alike, the city decided to build new joint court facilities downtown.

The necessary money law was passed by a four-to-one vote. How well the plan works will be known by this time next year. But it looks promising.



### Empress Again Honors Past



Christmas dinner at Empress is colorful affair known to no one better than Mr. and Mrs. David T. Young, Seattle, above with Bruce Banyard, who is Herald of Events. Youngs have come to Empress annually for 23 years for special reason — Dec. 25 is both their birthdays, his 85th this year, her 83rd. Familiar to them is appearance, left, of traditional Yule Log, here brought in by Jim McConachie and Bob Riddler. Providing added flip of mirth to merry meal is Jester, right, Vaj Hamilton, while below, Bill Rebeck begins feature jacking in old-time Yule dinner — gaily-decorated boar's head. So popular has hotel's Christmas dinner grown through years that bookings are made early in summer months, cancellations are almost non-existent, and the "sold-out" signs go up long before December. Similar Yuletide trappings are offered customers in several Greater Victoria restaurants where families from near and far gather for dinner that gives mother break from kitchen duties. Only catch: no pickings! — (Ryan Bros.)

### City Hall

### Write, Don't Call

An appeal was made yesterday for residents to mail cheques for water bills and pre-paid taxes in city hall rather than make the payment in person.

Officials in the comptroller-treasurer's department are trying to prevent overcrowding during the annual rush of business that follows the New Year.

A spokesman said the temporary quarters in Bastion Square are less spacious than those in the old city hall and provision has recently been made for payment of traffic fines in the department.

### FIRST TWO WEEKS

In the first two weeks last January pre-paid taxes totaling \$360,000 were received at city hall. In this manner taxpayers who get off to a fast start can earn seven months interest at four per cent per annum.

Officials want to encourage prepayment of taxes, but fear that facilities available will not be sufficient to cope with the rush unless some of the load is carried by the mails.

### Thieves Get Party Liquor

A home at 3630 Richmond was broken into and about \$120 worth of liquor was stolen early Tuesday morning. The liquor had been purchased for a forthcoming party.

Christmas Dinner

## All Trappings Of Long Ago At Restaurants

Boar's heads and yule logs were part of the typical family Christmas long, long ago, but nowadays to have that kind of a Christmas, people will have to eat at restaurants.

In at least two well-known Victoria establishments the traditional festive trappings of the Old Country will be offered along with the good food associated with Christmas.

Both the Empress Hotel and the Olde England Inn have become continentaly known for colorful Christmas dinners for which they are booked months in advance.

**GOOD CHEER** Their dinners are complete with the reading of a proclamation of good cheer, the ceremonial carrying in of the boar's head. There's to be a Yule log, and staff members will be in medieval costume.

Sam Lane at the Olde England Inn says there'll be a beadle

with an authentic 17th century beadle's staff.

The seven-course dinner will include turkey and plum pudding and a special game soup, made originally for Prince Philip, of grouse, partridge, pheasant and venison.

**CAROL SINGING** Entertainment will include carols and a magician.

There'll be a full house at the Empress Hotel, where the traditional dinner will include a musical concert.

King Arthur's Round Table

will be open for Christmas dinner and here too the parading of the boar's head will embellish the traditional turkey dinner.

**SMALL ORCHESTRA** There will be a small orchestra to play carols.

Other city restaurants have special Christmas menus planned but at none of them will there be what is frequently called "good cheer."

Wines are out because, as far as the liquor control board is concerned, Christmas Day, like Good Friday, is like a Sunday.

Some smaller restaurants will be closed over the holidays, said William Webb, president of the Victoria and Vancouver Island branch of the Canadian Restaurant Association.



HARRY GOUGH

## Seen in Passing

Harry Gough, watching passenger board his bus (a coach lines driver), he came out three years ago from England. He and wife Evelyn live at 1702 Denman with children Sue, 16, Patsy, 14, and Gerry, 12. His hobbies are fishing and golf . . . Sylvia Smith, 18, surprising her mother, father and sister (Mabel, Sid and Frances) by taking them out to dinner at a popular restaurant . . . Bob Mayhew lunching out . . . Edna and Sid Wormald, Linda and Diane Forbes enjoying a pantomime . . . Tony Burton wondering what to do with "two days off" . . . Annette Headshaw thanking a chauffeur . . . Danny Miller wielding a camera . . . Bill Kingood spotting familiar names.

